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INCENDIARY MOB FIRES FACTORIES

Midnight Crowd Descends On Great Plants of Corporations and Puts Them to Torch.

MOB HELD ALL OFF FROM THE FIRE

Princeton, Ky., Dec. 1.—The tobacco stemmeries of James Steger and John G. Orr, the latter controlled by the Imperial Tobacco company, of New York, were totally destroyed at an early hour today by a fire which was kindled against them by a mob of masked men. Several cottages in the vicinity were badly damaged but nobody was hurt. The loss is estimated at about $150,000. The mob which numbered about 300 men, entered Princeton between 1 and 2 o'clock, seized the night town marshal and disarmed him. They then went to the factories and quickly applied the torch. The masked men stood on guard, permitting nobody to come near until the buildings were completely enveloped in flames and help was useless. A squad of the mob took charge of the telephone office and no word of the affair was permitted to go out.

When the mob saw that the fire was beyond control they left the town, going in the direction of Hopkinsville, discharging revolvers and rifles as they departed. The fire department then came out, but could do nothing more than prevent the fire from destroying buildings in the vicinity.

The Steger stemmery was located on the south side of town on the Illnois Central and the Orr building in the southern part of the town.

The Steger factory is controlled by the American Snuff company and Mr. Steger is the Princeton agent for that concern, as Mr. Orr is the representative of the Imperial company. There was about 150,000 pounds of tobacco in each warehouse and all of it was burned. The mob, in addition to disarming the night policeman, took charge of the police station and the water works. Even had the fire company responded, they would have been unable to obtain a supply of water. The work of the mob is believed to be only a furtherance of the agitation by the tobacco raisers against the tobacco trust. The organization of farmers is known as the Dark Tobacco Growers' Protective association, but it is not known that any member of that orgaization was in last night's mob.

FIRE MARSHAL TO PROBE IT.

Louisville, Ky., Dec. 1.—Mott Ayers, state fire marshal, left for Princeton today to investigate the alleged incendiarism of the tobacco factories. He has the powers of a grand jury to summon witnesses and require them to testify under oath.

It is not probable that Governor Beckham will be asked to call out the militia to protect property in those districts in view of past outrages.

The protective association was formed throughout the dark tobacco district and severest measures were taken against growers who refused to join it. Maaraunders visited their farms at night and cut down the tobacco plants with hoes, set fire to their barns and committed other depredations.

The ill feeling began about six years ago when the Italian government sent agents into the dark tobacco field. These agents were driven out of the field.

SCUTTLED SHIP AFTER RUNNING HER ON THE ROCKS

Sensational Case of Barratry in the Far Off Orient.

Victoria, B. C., Dec. 1.—News of the barratry of the ship of Agenor of Seattle, has been received from Yokohama. Albert A. Lewis, Charles A. Hill and F. M. Howard were on trial at the Japanese port for forging and uttering private documents and sinking the ship.

Lewis was chief clerk of Sale & Frazer, a Yokohama export firm and conceived the scheme. He arranged a charter for the Agenor, which was acquired by Sale & Frazer, on arrival at Kobe from Seattle to carry wheat to Kobe from Yokohama, purporting to have sold the wheat to a Kobe firm. He then cabled proposals to Lloyds at London for the insurance of the cargo. Lloyds, not knowing the conditions at the time, refused the risk. Then Lewis arranged with Captain Topple, a retired mariner, to survey the vessel and when this was forwarded to Lloyds, they cabled accepting the risk at $60,000. Subsequently he wired to Lloyds for a further $5,000 risk, saying further cargo was being shipped. By manipulation a small amount of wheat was shipped and false bills of lading covering a full cargo were made.

Then Lewis and Hill took passage on the Agenor, the latter as pilot, and they made false entries in the log book as well as steering the vessel toward places studded with rocks off Yukiura, Tokushima prefecture. There the vessel struck a rock, sustaining small damage. As the premeditated total wreck had not been effected, the schemers bored holes in the hull to complete the sinking of the vessel. The holes were bored by Howard, the ship's carpenter, and the pumping apparatus was destroyed by him to prevent the vessel being saved.

The Agenor foundered during the night, all hands having reached the shore easily in the boats and Lewis gave Captain Mowatt and the mate $2,000, and let them proceed to the United States at once, before reporting the wreck.

This aroused the suspicions of Sale & Frazer, who caused the police to arrest Lewis, and the barratry was then exposed.

COLLEGE ATHLETES CONFER.

Chicago, Dec. 1.—The colleges generally known as the "Big nine" were represented at a conference held at the Auditorium hotel today for the purpose of considering college sports in general and football in particular.

STATE WILL OPEN WAR ON THE BIG FOUR RAILROAD

Attorney General to Ask an Injunction in Indiana Coal Case.

Indianapolis, Dec. 1.—The state and the railroad commission have arranged to play their last card in the many-cornered game that has been in progress for the last few months, with Terre Haute as a base. Tired of fruitless conferences, which resulted in nothing but promises; tired of talk that failed of its expressed intention, the attorney general, Charles W. Miller, for the railroad commission, will file a complaint in the Marion county superior court asking for an injunction against the Big Four railroad and praying that this road be enjoined from misusing the coal cars of the Southern Indiana and the E. & T. H. railroad companies. The complaint will probably be filed next week. The suit will be filed with the hope of clearing up the coal blockade and embargo at Terre Haute.

It will be a clear case of the state railroad commission against the Big Four to see whether, under existing laws, the common carriers of the state can be forced by the supervising body to furnish accommodations to its patrons.

The coal situation at Terre Haute is responsible for the coming suit for injunction. For weeks and months it has been practically impossible for the operators of southern Indiana coal mines to get their product to the central and northern Indiana markets.

THE STORY OF AN EGG.

Dr. Wheelock Will Tell the Tale at Congregational Men's Club.

Next Monday evening the regular meeting of the Plymouth Congregational Men's club will be held in the church parlors and the feature of the evening will be "The Story of an Egg," which will be entertainingly and instructively told by Dr. K. K. Wheelock. Following this part of the program there will be several musical selections by members and light refreshments will be served.

CLEANING THE RESERVOIR.

The board of public works has a force of men at work today cleaning the south side reservoir of the mud and slime that had accumulated and as soon as that task is completed the basin will be filled. Contractors and engineers were here to make measurement so as to be able to submit bids on the repair work.

BACK ON DUTY.

Patrolman John Greer, who submitted to a severe operation for appendicitis on July 2, of this year, was able to resume duty for the first time today.

YOUNG ON STAND IN CONSPIRACY TRIAL

Chicago Labor Leader Tells Sensational Story of Teamsters' Strike.

Chicago, Dec. 1.—Sensational evidence was given today in the trial of Cornelius P. Shea, president of the International Brotherhood of Teamsters, for alleged conspiracy in the teamsters' strike of 1905.

The first witness called to the stand by the state was Albert Young, the president of the United Teamsters of America, who yesterday entered a plea of guilty to the charge of conspiracy made against him in connection with the strike of 1905 and offered to turn state's evidence.

According to the statements of Young on the stand, Robert Noren, business agent of the Garment Workers' union, provided a fund of $1,500 which was divided between Shea and other labor leaders to induce them to call a strike of the teamsters for the purpose of aiding the garment workers of Montgomery, Ward & Co., who had been on a strike for several months. At the time of the payment of the money to Shea and others, Noren was, according to Young, treasurer of the Chicago Federation of Labor.

Young's Startling Story.

Young testified that he was residing in Joliet, Ill., early in 1905, but in the latter part of March of that year he was summoned to Chicago for the purpose of holding a conference with a number of labor leaders whom he met in bricklayers' hall at Peoria and West Monroe streets.

"Who were present at that meeting?" asked Assistant State's Attorney Miller.

"Cornelius P. Shea, William Kelly business agent for the Coal Teamsters' union; Hugh McGee, president of the Truck Drivers' union; James Barry, business agent of the Express Wagon Drivers' union; Jeremiah McCarthy business agent for the Truck Drivers' union."

When asked if any others were present, Young said:

"Yes, Stephen Sumner, business agent of the Milk Wagon Drivers' union; Charles Dold, president of the Chicago Federation of Labor; Edward Nockles, a member of the Chandelier Workers' union, and a man named Hoppe, of the Cigarmakers' union."

Told of Shea's Address.

The witness declared that Shea addressed the gathering, saying that if the Chicago Federation of Labor would raise the coin he would furnish the men to aid the strike of the garment workers. He also declared that Noren addressed the meeting, saying that if the teamsters would engage in a sympathetic strike the garment workers would win their fight.

Young declared that in the following month he attended a meeting in the stock exchange building at which were present Barry, Shea, McGee, McCarthy, Noren and himself.

"What took place at this meeting?" asked Mr. Miller.

"Noren had $1,500, which was accepted by us. Shea said that we should each give Noren $20 for his trouble. I understood that the money had been appropriated by the garment workers to call a strike of the teamsters."

"Did you see the men paid by Noren?"

"Yes, I did."

"What did you do with the money?"

"I kept $300 for my personal use except $20 which I gave to Noren."

"Did you see the others each hand Noren $20?"

"Yes."

"Was there any discussion while Noren was there as to what the money was to be used for?"

Would Have to "Make Good."

The witness did not answer this question directly, but said:

"After Noren left we went to Shea's hotel and to his room. There I heard Shea say to Jeremiah McCarthy, 'We will have to make good in the morning.'"

"What happened the next morning?"

"The teamsters of Montgomery Ward & Co. were called out."

The witness declared he had said to Shea at that time the strike had not been called in accordance with the Teamsters' union regulations and that he believed a mistake had been made in calling the strike at all.

Young then described a number of meetings attended by labor leaders at which he had been present. At one of these gatherings, he said, instructions were given by Shea that no union driver would be permitted to haul any goods in or out of the store of Montgomery Ward & Co.

SALOON MEN PAY FINES.

At an adjourned session of the city court held late this afternoon William Wiebke, William Malle, Ed Schele and Dan Clemons decided to pay fines for failure to observe the 11 o'clock closing law and each was fined $10 and costs.

MAN DIES SUDDENLY AT MAJESTIC THEATER

Dr. C. Bolman, of Coldwater, O., Expires in the Audience.

Surrounded by hundreds of people on pleasure bent who, like himself had come to enjoy the matinee performance, Dr. Christian Bolman, residing at Coldwater, Ohio, died very suddenly at the Majestic theater shortly after 2 o'clock this afternoon.

Death is presumed to have been due to apoplexy. Dr. Bolman was about 59 years of age, and was the father of Dr. R. M. Bolman, of 1425 Wells street, this city. The elder man and his daughter came to Fort Wayne last evening for a visit with his son, and the party determined to attend the matinee performance at the Majestic this afternoon.

The tragic affair occurred after the house had been completely filled by an expectant audience awaiting the performance of "How Baxter Butted In." The raising of the curtain had been delayed somewhat owing to the failure of scenery to arrive, and the force of stage employes were hustling about to get the stage in readiness for the first act of the play. Dr. Bolman and his daughter occupied seats in the third row upon the main floor, while the son, who had been unable to get seats near them, was in the rear of the house.

Suddenly, without an instant's warning, Dr. Bolman threw up his arms, gasped and sank backward in his seat. His condition created some alarm among those seated near him, but there was no panic in the audience. A dozen persons rushed to his assistance, among them being the son, Dr. R. M. Bolman.

It was seen at once that the man's condition was grave in the extreme, and he was carried through the orchestra door to a dressing room beneath the stage and placed upon a cot. The son injected a heart stimulant in the effort to revive his father, and Dr. W. G. Ferguson, who happened to be passing, was called in to assist him.

Their efforts were fruitless, however, and it is believed death had intervened before the stricken man was carried from the view of the audience. The remains were removed in a short time to an undertaking establishment, while relatives who had accompanied the stricken man were taken to Dr. Bolmans home, almost prostrated by the awful shock of the sudden death. Fred Bolman, towerman at the Calhoun street crossing of the Nickel Plate, is a brother of the deceased.

The afternoon performance at the theater was given after some delay.

RECRUITS TO PANAMA.

Those Enlisting in the Marine Corps Will Go to the Isthmus.

Corporal Oscar F. Balless, in charge of the local marine corps recruiting station, announces that he has received advices from Washington stating that on or about December 16th a battalion of marines will leave Washington for duty on the isthmus of Panama. All men now enlisting in this branch of the service in this city will be sent direct to Washington and will have the opportunity of joining that battalion. Marines receive 20 per cent increase of pay in foreign service and the corps will be increased at the next session of congress, so there is a fine chance for any men who now enlist.

MANY VACANCIES EXIST.

Local Examinations for Teachers in the Philippines.

Secretary Hess, of the Fort Wayne civil service board, has been notified that there are now more than one hundred vacancies in the teaching service in the Philippines, and he has been directed to hold a civil service examination December 27 and 28 for applicants who may care to try for appointment to the places. Only male teachers can be accepted under present conditions.

Other coming examinations which may be of interest locally are those for chief steam engineer at Louisville, Ky., December 12; for assistant in the Philippine service December 27 and 28, and for civil engineer in the Philippine service January 3 and 4.

DIRECTED BY PROF. MILES.

Prof. William Miles feels much elated over the fact that at the great Elstoddfod held in Marion, Ind., a male chorus directed at the performance by himself, won one of the big prizes. The singers were from Venedocia and Van Wert, Lima, Ohio and Marion, Ind. Mr. Miles had drilled the Van Wert choruses but did not know until he reached Marion that he would be called on to direct the chorus of 500 voices at the great performance.

END TESTIMONY IN GILLETTE CASE AT HERKIMER

Odds and Ends of Evidence Go in and Arguments Come Next.

Herkimer, N. Y., Dec. 1.—The little odds and ends of testimony that District Attorney Ward wanted to bring together before closing the prosecution's case in the Gillette murder trial were gotten on the records in a brief session today and then court adjourned until Monday, when the lawyers will make their final arguments and the judge will deliver his charge to the jury.

The young factory foreman who is charged with the murder of Grace Brown will not know his fate until after another week begins. The last bits of evidence, both for and against the accused man, were given to the jury before the court adjourned today. There still remain, however, the plea of counsel and the charge of the presiding justice before the case reaches the jury. In view of the mass of testimony which has been heard, it is believed that the final arguments will be long. The charge of the court on the law and evidence and the verdict of the jury will furnish the closing chapters in one of the most remarkable murder trials ever held in this state.

The session of the court today was a brief one. The usual custom of adjourning at midday on Saturday until Monday was followed.

Court was a trifle late in assembling and by the time the first witness, Gillette himself, went on the stand, the auditorium and gallery of the court room were well filled.

Gillette Searched Suit Case.

District Attorney Ward pulled several garments out of Miss Brown's trunk and Gillette identified them as having been worn by Grace Brown in the factory. Gillette, under instruction from the district attorney, ransacked his own suit case at the feet of the jurors, but failed to find any of his working clothes in the package.

The purport of this testimony was to show that Grace Brown's farewell words to the farm, when she said she might "never see the dear old place again," were prompted by her decision to remain away from home forever with Gillette who, at least, had promised to go to South Otselic and take her away. Gillette's failure to find any of his working clothes in his grip will be placed before the jury in the prosecutor's summing up as an indication that he intended to be back in Cortland in a week.

Deputy Sheriff Klock testified that Gillette told him he was able to find his way to Eagle bay by keeping the lake in sight all the time.

Evan Evans, a turnkey at the Herkimer jail, swore that Gillette's watch, which the defense claims stopped at 6:10 on the night of Grace Brown's death, was going and keeping good time when it came into his possession.

Prosecutor Scores a Point.

John Coye, proprietor of the Taber house at De Ruyter, where Gillette put up the night before Grace Brown came from South Otselic to meet him, testified that Gillette applied to him for a horse, saying he wanted to drive to South Otselic. An attempt was made by the defense to rule this evidence out. To the court District Attorney Ward said:

"It is to show that Gillette had conceived a plot to take this girl away without anyone knowing she had gone with Chester Gillette. He registered as Charles George at the Taber house and tried to hire a horse, to convey the idea he was going to South Otselic. Then when it was learned that Grace Brown was dead in the Adirondacks, people would say, 'why, there was a man named Charles George at De Ruyter Sunday night. He wanted a horse to go to South Otselic.'"

The court overruled the objection.

Hubert Whaley, who had charge of the Taber house barn in De Ruyter, corroborated the testimony of Mr. Coye relative to Gillette's application for a horse.

WILL NOT RESIGN.

Cuban Statesmen Will Not Give Magoon a Chance to Request It.

Havana, Dec. 1.—In anticipation that Governor Magoon will request the resignations of the senators and congressmen at the conference which is to take place at the palace tomorrow, the prominent leaders of the moderate party met today and decided on a plan of action. A proposition to ignore the invitation to the conference was made and it was decided unanimously to go to the palace and to refuse to resign should the governor request the Cuban senators and deputies to do so.

COMMITTEE TO ENTERTAIN.

The democratic county central committee will hold a banquet tonight at the Standard club, which will be in the nature of a jollification over the achievements during the last campaign

CLOVER LEAF ALLY OF INTERURBANS

Enters Into Passenger and Freight Traffic Arrangements With the Indiana Union Lines.

MOVE REGARDED AS REVOLUTIONARY

Indianapolis, Dec. 1.—It became known today that the Toledo, St. Louis and Western railroad, known as the Clover Leaf, issued recently a new junction tariff sheet for both passenger and freight traffic, which formally recognizes the so-called merger traction lines of Indiana and provides for an interchange of business with them. Special permission to issue the new tariffs was given the Clover Leaf by the interstate commerce commission. The tariff was filed with the commission on November 19 and became effective fifteen days later.

The action of the Clover Leaf is regarded by other steam roads as being almost revolutionary in character, as both the western and central passenger associations have on their records resolutions that the steam roads shall not in any way recognize their electric competitors either by issuing joint tariffs with them or exchanging business by traffic agreements. These resolutions were adopted when the traction lines first began to present formidable opposition.

The new tariff issued by the Clover Leaf quoted rates from Indianapolis to all points on its system to and from traction points and the traction lines will now post rates from their stations to those of the Clover Leaf. This will include both passenger and freight traffic.

CHILDREN RAID BANQUET ROOM AND TEACHERS GO HUNGRY

Pittsburg Pedagogues Had a Shock of Disappointment at Meal Time.

Pittsburg, Dec. 1.—More than 1,500 school teachers attending the Pittsburg teachers' institute experienced a disappointment yesterday as a result of a "raid" upon the banquet room by a throng of school children that had come to sing at the teachers' convention.

A negro boy found a way into the store room where numerous palatable dishes had been placed earlier in the day for the banquet and before any one in charge was aware of it, the boy had led the crowd of youngsters to it. When the janitor of the building discovered them each was munching a cake or other dainty and sipping cream, and devouring all the eatables in sight. As they had gone so far the janitor permitted the youngsters to finish their feast. An effort was made to learn the identy of the "pilot" of the crowd, but all were loyal to the leader and the culprit remains undiscovered.

FAST TURBINE STEAMER.

Splendid Vessel for Atlantic Coast Service Being Built.

Philadelphia, Dec. 1.—The big turbine power steamship Yale, which is to be launched today from the yard of the Delaware Iron works, is to be the fastest as well as one of the finest vessels engaged in American Atlantic coast service. The Yale is the property of the Metropolitan Steamship company. A year ago when Charles W. Morse and associates came into possession of this line they concluded to establish also a passenger and express freight business. The Yale and the Harvard, turbines, will be ready by June 1 to open the all water passenger route between New York and Boston. The two steamers will accommodate 800 passengers each and 600 tons of express freight They are designed to make the run between New York and Boston in fifteen hours or between five in the evening and eight o'clock in the morning, maintaining an average speed of twenty-three statute miles per hour.

PEARY SEES ROOSEVELT.

Arctic Explorer Calls on President at White House.

Washington, Dec. 1.—Commander Robert E. Peary, the arctic explorer, called on the president by appointment today. He was heartily congratulated by Mr. Roosevelt on the achievement he has made in his latest arctic exploring trip. Walter Wellman, who hopes to reach the arctic regions by means of an airship, was at the executive offices when Commander Peary arrived. The two exchanged cordial greetings.

NAVY DEFEATS THE ARMY.

In Annual Football Game Middies Too Much for West Pointers.

Philadelphia, Pa., Dec. 1.—In the annual football game the cadets of the United States military academy at West Point and the midshipmen of the United States naval academy at Annapolis, the navy won by a score of 10 to 0. The game was played on Franklin field in the presence of an immense crowd that contained many high dignitaries in official life in Washington and noted representatives of the army and navy.

FOUR DEAD AND OTHERS MISSING IN WRECK IN VERMONT

Disaster on the Rutland Road Deals Death to Many.

Vergennes, Vermont, Dec. 1.—Four persons are known to have been killed and it is feared that others lost their lives, while several were seriously injured in a wreck on the Rutland railroad, near here today. A gravel train ploughed into the rear end of a passenger train. Two passenger cars were wrecked and caught fire.

One of the bodies found is believed to be that of Mrs. W. A. Lawrence, of Bristol, wife of Deputy Sheriff Lawrence, of Addison county. Another of the bodies is that of a woman, while the other two found were so badly charred that it was impossible to tell whether they were of men or women.

A mixed train from Rutland, due here at 9 a. m., was taking the siding at the Vergennes station in order to allow a southbound mail train to pass. A heavy gravel train following crashed into the mixed train, which was composed of two passenger cars and a caboose. The caboose was smashed and the passenger cars hurled on end and then toppled over the edge of a fifty foot embankment, which drops at an angle of 45 degrees to a small brook. The cars did not fall the entire distance, however, remaining on their sides on the slope. This position made the work of rescue very difficult.

Almost immediately the wrecked cars caught fire and several of the passengers were unable to escape from the flames.

Engineer George Murray, of Rutland, in charge of the gravel train, who jumped with his fireman just before the trains came together, was unable to give any explanation of the cause of the accident.

KILLS MAN WHO MARRIED THE WOMAN HE HAD DIVORCED

Ohio Man Commits Murder and Swallows Carbolic Acid and Dies.

Zanesville, O., Dec. 1.—James O. Nicols, aged 50 years, and Benjamin Scott, aged 48 years, were the principals of a double tragedy enacted in the little village of Middlebourne, Guernsey county, last night. Scott was shot and killed by Nicols, who then committed suicide by taking carbolic acid. Nicols also fired three shots at Mrs. Scott, but she escapad them all. Two months ago Mrs. Scott was granted a divorce from Nicols on a charge of cruelty, and within three weeks she was married to Scott. Just after dark Nicols rapped on the door of the Scott home. When Scott opened the door he was promptly shot down. Nicols then fired three shots at his former wife and thinking that he had killed her also, ran into a nearby grocery store, placed a vial of carbolic acid to his lips and drank the contents.

Miss Della Yann, of Park avenue, has gone to Mendota, Ill., to visit friends for an indefinite length of time.

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GREAT MUSICAL EVENT IS HELD IN CITY OF MARION

Singers From Many Places Engage in the Great Choral Contest.

Marion, Ind., Dec. 1.—One of the biggest and most successful musical events ever held in the state was the choral contest given here yesterday under the auspices of the Marion Philharmonic society. More than three thousand people were present at the morning and afternoon sessions and the capacity of the coliseum was taxed at the night session. A special train of nine coaches brought 500 singers from Ohio cities and there were big delegations from Michigan, Pennsylvania and Wisconsin. Several Indiana cities were represented.

Hon. P. H. Williams, of Newcastle, Pa., was conductor of the day. Wilson G. Smith, of Cleveland, O., and J. Powell Jones, of Painesville, O., will be adjudicators. Hon. Gus S. Condo, of this city, presided at the morning session. Congressman-elect George W. Rauch was chairman of the afternoon meeting and Hon. W. H. Sanders was honorary president of the night's meeting.

Not One Disappointment.

There were numerous entries in all of the events and there was not a single disappointing feature about the whole affair. The singing in the afternoon of a mixed chorus of 1,000 voices and at night of a male chorus of 500 voices were features. Hans Richard, of Paris, France, now sojourning in Cincinnati, was heard in his wonderful piano solos and was accorded a great ovation. The following were winners of the various events: Ladies' chorus prize, $200. Lima and Van Wert, O., and Marion Ind., qualified. Marion, directed by Prof. Carlile S. Tucker, won.

Male quartet competition, prize $25, nine entries. Lima, O., Indianapolis and Marion, Ind., qualified. Marion won.

Mezzo soprano competition, prize $25, eighteen entries. Miss Helen Badeau, Lima, O., Miss Lora Dickey, Warsaw, Ind., and Miss Marietta Coffin, of Marion, Ind., qualified. Honors divided between Miss Badeau and Miss Dickey.

Contralto solo, prize $15, eight entries. Honors divided between Miss Greer, of Ada, O., and Miss Minnie Van BusKirk, of Logansport, Ind.

Church choir competition, prize $75. Trinity church and Mendelssohn church, of Lima, O., Presbyterian church of Marion and a Van Wert, O., church choir were entered. Honors were divided between Mendelssohn church of Lima and the Presbyterian church of Marion.

Ladies' chorus, prize $25, won by Sontag sisters, of Lima, O.

Mixed chorus, prize $300, won by Lima, O., choral union, of 200 voices.

Part song prize $100 won by Venedocia, Ohio, club, of thirty voices, Van Wert, Ohio.

Soprano and alto duet, prize $25, divided between Ada, Van Wert and Lima, Ohio.

Baritone solo, prize $25, won by Owen Davis, of Gas City, Ind.

Frank D. Reed, general storekeeper of the Rock Island, announces the appointment of W. S. Zink to the position of district storekeeper at Chicago, vice J. R. Mulroy, resigned to accept service elsewhere. Mr. Reed is a former Fort Wayne resident.

A CHRISTMAS DINNER.

How a Dyspeptic School Ma'am Prepared and Ate One.

A Christmas dinner means "good cheer" to all but the person who can't get it or can't eat it after it's got.

A young lady school teacher had dyspepsia so bad that her stomach was of little more use to her than a worn out shoe! Her Christmas dinner story is good:

"Teaching in the rural districts for 10 years compelled me to board in homes where I was served with poorly cooked food and cold lunches. As a result it seemed my stomach was completely worn out. I could only retain the most delicate food and that that to be eaten slowly and in a reclining position. Vomiting in the night was a frequent occurrence, and medicine had no effect as it would always be ejected. Severe heart-spells and female trouble made their appearance.

"Ten days before Christmas I said, 'I think I'm doing my last day's work.'

"My landlord said he would get a box of Grape-Nuts. I replied 'If it is half as good as we read, it may do me a little good.'

"This precious food was brought home. I ate and retained it. It was strengthening from the very first.

"On Christmas day I prepared and ate roasted chicken, mashed potatoes, sauerkraut, and cranberry pie.

"I am not exaggerating my improvement one iota. Grape-Nuts must have the credit, for I hadn't taken a drop of medicine. I can now eat just what I wish, have firm muscles, but I always have Grape-Nuts on the table—I should call it medicine and food put up in the same box. My heart is rapidly getting well.

"I know of one case besides myself, that of a three year old child, of almost a blue complexion and flabby muscles. By the use of Grape-Nuts he changed to a rosy-cheeked boy, full of vitality. Grape-Nuts cannot be praised too much." Name given by Postum Co., Battle Creek, Mich. Read the famous little book, "The Road to Wellville," in pkgs.

"There's a reason.

WILL ERECT MONUMENT IN SEATTLE TO W. H. SEWARD

Statue to Memory of Man Who Bought Alaska for the United States.

(Special Correspondence.)

Seattle, Wash., Nov. 30.—In commemoration of the rare foresight and wisdom, and the indominable courage, which led William H. Seward, then secretary of state of the United States, to induce an unwilling congress to purchase Alaska for his country, the citizens of Seattle will erect a monument to commemorate the act which has endeared the grand old statesman to the people of the northwest.

It is planned that the monument shall be completed in time for the Alaska-Yukon-Pacific exposition, which is to be held in this city in the summer of 1909 to exploit the resources of the northland. The movement is considered especially timely on this account. The exposition will be an international fair, with exhibits from countries bordering on the Pacific ocean, and from the states of the union and the national government, but primarily it will tell the world of the wonders of the little-known northland, a country marvelously rich in minerals of almost every sort, rich beyond conception in fisheries, and possessed of agricultural resources of considerable importance. The monument will occupy a prominent position on the exposition grounds during the period of the fair, and then will be removed to a site in one of the city's beautiful parks.

Alaska was bought by the United States in 1867 from Russia, the consideration being $7,200,000. The purchase was bitterly opposed by men prominent in both houses of congress and the press of the country wailed loudly and long, asserting that the territory would never produce anything more valuable than icebergs, and that, instead of being a source of revenue, it will be a constant expense.

Seward, however, was determined that the United States should secure the territory. The time was most auspicious. Russia wanted to sell, and Russia had been friendly to the union in the civil war just closed. The part that Great Britain had played during the period of strife had not made Americans love the British. Alaska joined the North American possessions of the crown. Russia feared that in the event of trouble with England the lion would run off with the weak sister across Bering strait. If the United States purchased the territory, it would be doing Russia a good turn and England a bad one.

This much the less astute statesmen could see, but there were few who could see, too, that the property to be secured was worth many times what the czar asked for it. Thereby came Seward's masterly shrewdness. It is recorded that a few days before his death, he was asked what he considered the most momentous measure in his busy official career. "The purchase of Alaska," said the grand old secretary," but it will take the people a generation to find it out."

The secretary was right, both in his conclusion that the purchase of Alaska was his greatest official act and in his prophesy that it would take a generation for the people to find it out.

In fact, the people are only now beginning to find it out. The wonder of the bargain that Uncle Sam got will continue to grow for many generations.

The debate on the question of the treaty was long and bitter, the opposition being led by Senator Benjamin F. Butler, of Massachusetts, and Congressman Washburn, of Wisconsin. "If we are to pay for her (Russia's) friendship that amount, I desire to give her the $7,200,000 and let her keep Alaska," said Senator Butler. Washburn called the proposed treaty "an outrage on the rights of the American people," and "defied any living man on the face of the earth to produce an evidence that an ounce of gold was ever extracted from Alaska." Senator Charles Sumner and Representative Nathaniel P. Banks led the fight for Seward's measure, and the measure carried.

The treaty ceding Alaska to the United States was signed March 30, 1867; was ratified by the senate on May 28, and on June 20 was publically proclaimed by the president. On October 18 of the same year the United States took military possession of her new domain, but the house of representatives held up the appropriation for payment of the purchase price until July 14, 1868.

The movement to erect a monument in Seattle to the memory of Seward was started by G. Beninghausen, a prominent business man, who backed his endorsement of the project with a check for $500. It is expected that the monument will cost $30,000, and when it is considered that Seattle's 260,000 people subscribed $850,000 in one day to the Alaska-Yukon-Pacific exposition project it is evident that there will be no difficulty about raising the money by subscription. The committee which has the matter in charge is composed of prominent citizens of Seattle, appointed by President John H. McGraw of the chamber of commerce, and includes Judge Thomas Burke, chairman; G. Beninghausen, vice-chairman; Professor Edmund S. Meany of the University of Washington, secretary; James D. Hoge, jr., treasurer.

It is planned that the monument shall be constructed of material secured in Alaska. The base is to be of Alaska granite and the statue of bronze to be made from Alaska copper. R. E. Brooks, of Boston, a noted sculptor, has been requested to suggest an appropriate style and size.

It is planned that the Seward monument shall be erected in time for the Alaska-Yukon-Pacific exposition, in order that the thousands of visitors who will be in Seattle at that time may see it, and carry back to their homes a remembrance of the man whose daring and shrewdness secured for his country her most valuable non-contiguous possession. The exposition, although more than two years away, is attracting wide interest, and state participation on a large scale is already assured. The site has been selected and laid out by John C. Olmsted, the famous landscape architect, and workmen are already busy preparing the grounds for the buildings, construction of which will shortly begin.

Willis Brindley.

WOULD SHARE IN BENEFIT.

Want Indiana to Co-operate in Topographical Survey.

Indianapolis, Ind., Dec. 1.—Resolutions were adopted at the meeting of the Indiana Academy of Science urging the appropriation by the state legislature of sufficient funds to co-operate with the Washington government in the topographical survey now being made of the entire country, thus obtaining for Indiana her share of the general federal appropriation.

D. M. Mottier, of Bloomington was elected president of the academy for the ensuing year; Professor Glen Culbertson, of Hanover college, vice president; Lynn B. McMullen, of Shortridge high school, secretary, and W. A. McBeth of the state normal school, treasurer. The academy will adjourn tonight until the spring meeting, to be held at some point in the state to be decided later.

NATAL STATISTICS.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. John H. Fritz, of Arcola, a son.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Shelley Craig, of West Jefferson street, a daughter.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Ramsey, of 318 East Williams streets—a son.

MARRIAGE LICENSES.

Dayton Ernest Ault, 22, teamster, and Ella Haskings, 18.

Albert E. Schnieder, 21, laborer, and Clara Gombert, 21.

Charles W. Roberson, 23, farmer, and Bertha E. Robinson, 22.

TRY THE SENTINEL WANT COLUMN

MUSSER CASE PRESENTS QUEER CONDITION IN PRISONER

Judge O'Rourke Finds Him Not Guilty Because of Mental Defect.

Solomon Musser was in the circuit court today for the second time on the charge of assault and battery with intent to kill and for the reason that Judge O'Rourke regards him as a man of unsound mind he was found not guilty and held for the decision of an insanity commission composed of Drs. Tinkham, Calvin and McCaskey.

Musser chased Peter Fara out of his home near Maples with a stove poker, then took up the pursuit with a knife and when he was arraigned today he had just completed a sentence for an effort to kill John W. Nail at Maples. Mr. Nail was compelled to stand him off with a revolver and at the time of the trial Judge O'Rourke was not satisfied that the man was sane, but regarded him as dangerous to be at large.

He is a good farm hand and as a general rule peaceable enough, but when he becomes angered he loses all control of himself and suffers from a desire to kill somebody. The inquest will be held before Justice Huser.

Court Notes.

Joseph Mommer and George W. Wilbur were today appointed jury commissioners for next year. Judge O'Rourke made the appointments.

Two lads, one a Syrian, were caught this morning with a small hammer chipping pieces off one of the pillars at the court house. They were lectured by the commissioners and let go. The Syrian apologized to the court because his sister would not allow him to dress up in his Sunday clothes before he appeared.

Dan Clemons, of the Germania cafe, was acquitted in Justice Crippen's court at New Haven of the charge of having quails for sale. It was shown the birds had been left with him to be prepared for a banquet.

THE DEATHS

CONRAD.

The infant child of Mr. and Mrs. William Conrad, 652 West Creighton avenue, died this morning from exhaustion at the age of one day. The father is a pressman employed by the Journal-Gazette.

The remains of the babe were interred in the I. O. O. F. cemetery at New Haven this afternoon.

FUNERAL ANNOUNCEMENTS.

O'Rourke.—Funeral services of Mrs. P. S. O'Rourke will be held Monday morning at 9 o'clock from the Cathedral.

Strack.—Funeral services of Charles Strack will be held Monday morning at 8 o'clock from the residence, three miles south of the city, and at 9 o'clock from St. Paul's Catholic church.

CITY BREVITIES.

George Widmer, of Ottawa, Ill., is in the city visiting friends.

Mrs. E. W. White, of Peru, is visiting relatives in this city.

Edward Sullivan, of South Bend, is in the city visiting friends.

Dr. and Mrs. M. F. Porter are in Indianapolis visiting friends for a short time.

The members of Sion S. Bass Post, G. A. R. will hold their annual election of officers this evening.

Ralph E. Chapin, who was operated on at Hope hospital last Tuesday, is reported to be doing very nicely.

Miss Maud Wells will entertain the members of the Philathea society of the First M. E. church at her home, 1218 Clay street, on the evening of Monday, December 3.

Mrs. Dr. J. E. Stults has returned from Saginaw, Mich., where she was called by the illness of her brother with pneumonia. He is much improved.

Rev. Henry T. Sell, pastor of Plymouth Congregational church, will deliver the concluding lecture-sermon on the "Catacombs of Rome" at the church tomorrow evening. The lecture is the third of the series and will treat of the inscriptions and engravings found in the subterranean passages upon the tombs. It will be illustrated with charts and paintings.

STILL BOYCOTTING MERCHANT.

Louis Fortriede Remains Under Ban of Retail Clerks.

The boycott of the store of Louis Fortriede, on Calhoun street, which has been in progress all the past week by the Retail Clerks' association, is continuing unabated. During the daytime two pickets are on guard in the vicinity of the store to warn prospective customers of the state of affairs and at night the guard is increased to eight or nine. The clerks are very desirous of having Mr. Fortriede close weekdays at 6 o'clock as all the other stores on Main and Barr streets, that are now keeping open, have promised to do likewise if he accedes to the clerks' request.

ADDITIONAL MARKETS.

Toledo Grain Prices.

Toledo, Ohio, Dec. 1.—Close—Wheat—December, 76c; May, 80c; July, 79⅜c.

Corn—Cash, 41c; December, 43⅜c; May, 44⅝c; July, 45⅝c.

Oats—Cash, 26c; December, 35½c; May, 37c; July, 35½c.

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ANNUAL SUPPER AND BAZAAR.

Ladies of Plymouth Church Will Conduct Affair Next Week.

The ladies of Plymouth church will hold their annual supper and bazaar next Tuesday evening in the church parlors, corner of Harrison and Jefferson streets. The dining room of the church has just been newly decorated and refurnished, and is now one of the best equipped church dining rooms in the city. The ladies expect to make a specialty of their dinners and suppers the coming year.

The ladies in charge of the bazaar and supper are: Chairman of supper, Mrs. C. M. Kickley; fancy work booth, Mrs. A. R. Burr, Mrs. A. F. Archibald, Mrs. W. D. Henderson; children's booth, Mrs. B. Paul Mossman; domestic booth, Mrs. George Pixley, Mrs. J. E. Protzeller, Mrs. R. E. Adams; candy booth, Mrs. Grace Williams; baking table, Mrs. Frank Benoy, Mrs. A. T. Holmes, Mrs. J. A. Keplinger; canned fruit, Mrs. R. D. Hudgel and Mrs. Bower; silhouettes, Mrs. Miles and Mrs. Ungemach. In connection with the bazaar Mr. and Mrs. Griswold will have their menagerie of wild animals on exhibition. The trained animals will be worth the price of admission. A beautiful brunette doll, 22 inches tall, will be dressed in pink with white opera coat and hat. The doll is a gift from a popular young lady of the church.

A vegetable corrective for the stomachs of babies and children with the name of each ingredient in plain English on every bottle, that is **Cascasweet**, the ideal medicine for the little ones. Contains no opiates. Conforms fully with National Pure Food and Drug law. Write E. C. DeWitt & Co., Chicago, Ill., for the "Baby Book." Sold by all druggists.

LADY BREAKS AN ARM.

Mrs. Carl Brudi, of New Haven, suffered a fractured arm in a fall from a wagon Thursday.

FAIRFIELD HEIGHTS

Come out tomorrow and select one of those choice lots. Don't let everyone else get ahead of you. Several choice bargains on Fairfield, South Wayne and Tacoma avenues. Only 50c down, then 50c to $1 per week. No interest. No taxes. Come early, rain or shine. Tomorrow will be last Sunday. Car fare refunded on grounds. Take South Wayne car to end of line, then go 1½ squares south.

QUEER REMEDIES OF INDIA.

Great Virtue Attributed to the Claws and Horns of Animals.

(Madras Mail.)

Great virtues are ascribed in India to the claws and horns of certain animals. Tiger claws are in great demand with the common people. One or two claws may be worn near the loins, but should one possess a larger number the fortunate owner makes a garland of them and wears them around his neck.

Deer's horn ground into fine paste is an excellent balm for pains and swellings. A more curious use is found for the same substance; it is sometimes made into a powder which is supposed to aid the growth of stunted women. The joints taken from the long and slender tail of the black scorpion are supposed to keep illness at arm's distance when children wear them on their waist thread.

A red or swollen eye is cured by having it touched with the bolt or chain of a door. A remedy which I have seen applied with considerable effect in more than one epileptic fit is to place a bunch of keys in the palm of the sufferer. I have heard it said that the fit passes away as readily if the keys are placed on the head. A rather quaint remedy in the case of a sprained neck is to use an iron measure for a pillow.

Sore throat is cured by splitting on red-hot iron—quite the simplest and least expensive cure known to the native doctor. Peacock's flesh is a good remedy for acute rheumatism.

E. C. DeWitt & Co., of Chicago, at whose laboratory Kodol is prepared, assure us that this remarkable digestant and corrective for the stomach conforms fully to all provisions of the National Pure Food and Drug law. The Kodol laboratory is a very large one, but if all the sufferers from indigestion and stomach troubles could know the virtues of Kodol it would be impossible for the manufacturers to keep up with the demand. Kodol is sold here by all druggists.

TRY THE SENTINEL WANT COLUMN.

TO HONOR TWO PRESIDENTS.

Washington, Dec. 1.—The United States Historical society has decided to hereafter celebrate the birthdays of President McKinley, January 29, and President Lincoln, February 12, by holding meetings in this city at which well known public men will be invited to speak.

Alvin Tennant, of Cleveland, is in the city visiting relatives for a short time.

TOO LATE FOR CLASSIFICATION.

LOST—A little gold cross, this morning, on Calhoun St., Finder please return to Mrs. S. E. Hamlett, 305 West Main St. and receive reward. 1-2t

LOST—Between the home of Mrs. Langstuff, 1½ miles north of city and 205 Douglas Ave., a blue and white bed spread, with fringe. Finder return to 205 Douglas Ave. and receive reward. 1-2t

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SOCIETY

With the November national holiday, came the usual train of small parties and the young folks, anyway, have been busy the last few days. Sorority and fraternity gatherings have been numerous. Among the older people, party giving has been confined to dinners and bridge, while the card and dancing clubs have planned for a little extra celebration whenever possible. This afternoon two small companies for visiting guests claim attention from some of the society folk. Mrs. Robert Carlin, who as Miss Jessie McLachlan, was popular in society before her marriage took her away, was the honor guest at an informal bridge affair at the home of Mrs. William K. Noble this afternoon. The guests were mainly the members of the Friday Bridge club, but enough players for two more tables were invited to bring in more of Mrs. Carlin's intimate friends. Mrs. Edward Wood, of Duluth, who with her sister, Mrs. Carlin, have been visiting with their parents, was one of the guests. Mrs. Carlin and her little daughter will leave tonight for Phillipsburg, Pa., where they live. Mrs. Wood expects to remain here until after the holidays.

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Still another little party of the afternoon, gotten up on the spur of the moment was given by Mrs. Edward White for Mrs. Thomas Hubbard, of Toledo, who is visiting her sister, Mrs. Minnie Graves Brown. Mrs. Hubbard came to spend Thanksgiving. The guests at Mrs. White's bridge party were Mrs. Hubbard's nearest friends. The decorations were lovely, American Beauty roses being used.

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The date for the Golf club ball has been settled and the dance will be held in Anthony Wayne club, Tuesday, December 11. Reineke's men will furnish the music and the event will be the most brilliant one, socially, before Christmas.

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Mr. and Mrs. George Evans gave a dinner party last evening at their home, at which covers were laid for eighteen, in honor of Rev. and Mrs. H. B. Master and Mrs. Master's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Olmstead, of Buffalo. The table had pink hooded candles and pink roses for decoration.

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Morris Evans has returned from a few days' visit in Oxford, O.

Judge and Mrs. R. S. Taylor left today for a trip to New York.

Miss Agnes Fairbank has returned from visits in Hamilton and Oxford, O.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Schumacher have returned from a visit in Columbus, O.

Mrs. Frank Worthington is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. James M. Barrett.

The Misses May and Blanch Knase have returned from a visit in Delphos, O.

Miss Lulu Waldhart, of Kendallville, is spending a week with Miss Mabel Mensch, of East Fourth street.

Miss Lillian Hazer, of Old Fort place, has as her guests Mrs. P. J. Lauritzen and daughter, Miss Ruth, of Buffalo.

Mrs. Charles A. Asterlin, who has been visiting friends in the city, returned yesterday to her home in Erie, Pa.

Mrs. M. R. Lacy will entertain the members of the Athena club Tuesday afternoon at her home, 454 Montgomery street.

Miss Merritt, who has been spending three months with her sister, Mrs. Walter Olds, left today for her home in Mt. Gilead, O.

The members of the Philomath club spent a pleasant time yesterday with Miss Martha Wohlfort, of South Calhoun street.

Miss Catherine Schuler, of East Jefferson street, has returned from a two months' visit in Dayton, O., with relatives there.

Miss Mabel Tennant and Alvin Tennant, of Cleveland, are spending a few days in the city with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Tennant.

Mrs. Jennie Ray Ormsby, of Indianapolis, who has been visiting a few days in this city, spent today in Bluffton and will return to the capital tomorrow.

Miss Edith Harding entertained her sorority friends last evening and an equal number of boys. Yellow and white chrysanthemums were decorations and games the amusement.

Mr. and Mrs. D. M. Smith and Mr. and Mrs. Frank L. Lechler have gone to Crestline, O., to be guests of Mr. and Mrs. M. O. Quince at a house party for a few days.

The members of the I. N. club had a nice time playing pedro at the home of Miss Lulu Heine, last evening. Miss Clara Nahrwold and Miss Laura Kramer won the prizes.

Mr. and Mrs. O. N. Guildlin, Mr. and Mrs. Charles McCulloch, Mr. and Mrs. S. M. Foster and daughter, Alice, will take a trip to the West Indies and expect to sail about the first of February.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Hattersley gave a small dinner party last evening in honor of R. T. Waters, of Baltimore, who is a Purdue college friend of Carl Woodworth and who is his guest this week.

Dan Ball, of Washington boulevard west gave a masquerade party last evening in honor of his cousin, Miss Ethel Ball, of Chicago. Pedro was played and yellow and white chrysanthemums formed a pretty decoration.

Miss Erna Tapp was a hostess for sorority and fraternity young folks last evening. Bittersweet and chrysanthemums were the decorations. There were about twenty guests. Miss Bessie Taylor, of Los Angeles, was a visiting guest.

Mr. and Mrs. Felix Hildebrandt, of 668 East Lewis street, gave a dinner party Thursday for her brother, Leo Miller. The guests were the Misses Tena Wasel, Alice Tegeder, Effie Liggett, Grace Mills, Blanche Beaston and Lulu Miller.

A number of young men thoroughly enjoyed a stag party last evening given in honor of Tom Hart, of Chicago, at the home of his parents. The invited guests were: Messrs. L. C. Griffith, Al Monahan, C. Golden, Ed Pape, George Ryan, George Moring, F. Bright, H. G. Hogan, Gus Fox, Tom Lane, Arthur Schreck, Frank Keiker and Frank Gilmartin.

A lovely little party of young girls of yesterday afternoon was the one at the home of Ogereta and Marguerita Rohlman, of East Creighton avenue. It was a twelve-years-old birthday party. Henrietta Swartz and Gladys Neaser won prizes at games. A luncheon was served at 5 o'clock. The guests were the Misses Edith Kutsch, Jennie Bowser, Amy and Lena Mencfee, Mildred Bowser, Bertha Henry, Esther Null, Esther Bell, Julia and Frances Brennan, Nadina Lombard, Tracy and Sella Shoaff and Lillie Null.

Fred S. Hartman gave a fraternity dinner last evening in honor of his brother, Harris, who is a Phi Delta Theta of Northwestern university. The "frat" colors of blue and white prevailed. Candelabra filled with blue candles hooded in blue and a center piece of white carnations decorated the table. The favors were white toy goats which had a band of blue ribbon on their necks, on which hung a fraternity monogram with the name of a guest on it. The guests were Messrs. Curdes, McNaughton, Hulse, Smith, Mead, McDonald and H. V. Hartman. Others invited who could not be present were Messrs. Ralph Lane, Hugh Smaltz, Carl Upmeyer, Charles Duerling and Charles Porter.

Miss Mabel Sledd entertained a company of young people this afternoon at her home on Douglas avenue, at progressive red letters. The decorations of the room were in pank and green, and a delicious supper was served after the game. Mrs. T. Murray Reed assisted the hostess in keeping scores. The young girls who enjoyed Miss Mabel's party were Florence and Edith Heit, Pearl Smith, Edith Harding, Fannie Matson, Clara Pfeiffer, Edna Beaver, Lillian Parham, Marie Seroggy, May Lancaster, Marjorie Gutermuth, Alice Gauntt, Helen Bassett, Agnes Stemen, Hazel Miller, Leona Wilkinson, May Randall, Bertha Leach, Helen Waterman, Edna Null, Georgia Ruhl, Edith Nickell, Lydia Bartels, Benita Fox, Flora Kerke, Lulu Bechtel, Flora Brandtmeyer, Millie Winkelmeyer, Nellie Havens.

It isn't customary to describe a party, especially a little boys' party as a pink and white one. But it is perfectly proper to talk of Tallman Ladd's party, which his mother gave him this afternoon in that way, for it really was pink and white. To begin with Tallman's cheeks were pink—with excitement to be sure. Then there were so many of Tallman's friends whose cheeks looked just that way and when one got through looking at the smallest guests like Baby Hackett, Baby Moffat, Baby Leslie and Baby Guild whose real names are Edward, George, Linda and Marion, one could shut her eyes and see pink and white faces. Besides there were older friends at the party like Frederick and Stuart Peters, Morgan and Virginia Thieme, who had a good time, though they could not play games with Tallman as Virginia and James Olds, George Evans, William Morris, Walker Winch, Jack Frank, Josephine Wright, Mary, Isabel and Buzz Moffat, James Barrett, Francis Haberly, Rosalie Weil and Lathrop Dougall did. In the diningroom where the children were invited to eat pink ice cream and pink and white cake, there was a birthday cake with seven pink candles on it, quantities of pink carnations, pink and white candies and pink shades on the candles. Mrs. Ladd gave the children favors of jockey caps and lanterns for the boys, and tomtoms and silver hearts for the girls.

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Schroeder-Wenger.

The marriage of Miss Frances Wenger and Mr. Christ Schroeder took place Thursday afternoon at 4 o'clock, at the home of the groom's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Schroeder, 1924 Gay street. The Rev. Henry Luehr, of Zion's Lutheran church performed the ceremony. The bride and groom have gone to housekeeping on Smith street.

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Literary and Musical Clubs.

The first social event of the Mary Penrose Chapter, D. A. R., for this season will be held in the relic room of the court house, Monday evening, Dec. 3. Mrs. C. B. Woodworth, Mrs. L. C. Hunter and Mrs. G. W. McCaskey are the committee on arrangements. A number of "old residents" will speak and several persons who have made a study of the county's early history or who have been interested in collecting relics will take part in the discussion. It is expected that James Peltier, Cyrus Fairfield, George Brackenridge, Charles Kayser, of the city, and E. R. Griswold, of Wallen, will contribute information of pioneer times, and Mesdames Clark Fairbank, Martha E. Hanna, Fred J. Hayden, Susan Hoffman and A. J. Detzer will discuss historical events. A number of the local chapter of the Sons of the Revolution have also been invited to talk.

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The Nineteenth Century club will meet with Mrs. Robert Harding on Tuesday afternoon. The subject of the day will be the interesting one of "History of Famous Hymns."

The Woman's Reading club will meet Tuesday with Mrs. Oliver S. Hanna. "The Rights of Woman" is the subject of a paper to be presented by Mrs. S. D. Hanna and Mrs. O. N. Guildlin is down as leader of the discussion.

The Shakespeare club will meet Tuesday evening to continue the study of "Richard the Third," which will be completed by the end of the year, when the club will devote some time to reviewing two of Eliot's novels, "Adam Bebe" and "Felix Holt."

The morning Musical club will meet Friday morning in Hanker's hall for a program of English, Scotch and Irish music. The program is in charge of Miss Hanna, Mrs. Harry Ninde and Mrs. Davis.

An event of general interest in club circles and of more than usual interest to the Duodecimo club was the annual guest day of that club last Wednesday. The house hostess was Mrs. C. C. Schlatter and her assistants were Mrs. Alexander Baxter, Mrs. Clarence Moore and Mrs. S. H. Baker. After the program these ladies served tea. The program of the day was prepared under the direction of Mrs. Will Crighton, who had a remarkably fine paper on "Japanese Music." Mrs. Crighton had spent many weeks in research here and in Chicago for material and music. The paper was illustrated by Mesdames L. Park Drayer, Fred Hartman, Harry Ninde, Henry Ranke and T. E. Ellison. The program was made the more interesting by the suggestion of the Japanese in house decorations and costuming of Mrs. Crighton and assisting ladies. Mrs. Crighton wore a genuine Chinese court robe and Mrs. Moore and Mrs. Baxter wore imported kimonas. The rooms had Japanese screens, flags and umbrellas for ornamentation with chrysanthemums for suggestive and appropriate flowers. There were over fifty ladies present.

The Nos Temps club will have a social meeting instead of a literary program for its next gathering, which will be on Saturday, Dec. 8, at the home of Mrs. Edward Bittler, of West Berry street. Mrs. Bittler will be assisted by Mrs. W. Y. Cherry, Mrs. Edwin Gillette, Mrs. Leon Yapp and Mrs. F. C. Weber.

The Book Reviewers will meet Tuesday afternoon with Mrs. G. B. M. Bower and the review of the afternoon will be given by Mrs. John C. Heller.

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Country Parties.

Thanksgiving was observed in the country by many a gathering of friends and family, and the week has been marked by social visiting. In one case there was a surprise, Mrs. Harriet Nuttle being the victim on Tuesday evening. It was the birthday anniversary of Mrs. Nuttle and her children planned the affair. The company reached Mrs. Nuttle's home during the day and at 6:30 o'clock a big dinner was served. Mrs. Joe Miller and Miss Mamie Stevens assisted in serving. The invitation list included Messrs. and Mesdames E. Ward, M. Preston, S. Mills, C. Miller, A. Johnson, J. M. Nuttle, J. F. Miller, William Ehle, E. A. Nuttle, G. Wilbur, F. Preston, I. Stone, and the Misses Grace Nuttle, Mamie Stevens, Erna Ehle, Edith Nuttle, Gertrude Nuttle, Lizzie Snyder, Mildred Nuttle, Mabel Stevens, Bernice Nuttle, Gladys and Ursia Miller, Mabel, Edna and Irma Nuttle, Winnie Wilbur, Maude Stevens, George, Walter, Wes and Tony Nuttle.

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A dinner party of Thanksgiving was given by Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Cartwright, who live six miles west of the city. The guests were Mr. and Mrs. Clem Wirts, Mr. and Mrs. Leon Cartwright and daughter, Helen, Mr. and Mrs. Charles McKinzie, the Misses Sadie Wirts, Maud Dinius, Irma Dolin, Daphne Cartwright and Messrs. Morton Wirts, Allie Dinius, Raymond Dolin, Wayne Cartwright, William Ackerman, Len Cole, Sherman Dolin, Mrs. Cynthia Dolin, a grandmother of the family who had but a few days before observed her seventy-fourth birthday anniversary, was one of the liveliest of the company. Sherman Dolin and Miss Cartwright furnished music during the time.

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Mr. and Mrs. Winfield Archer, of Washington township, were also victims of a surprise party of their friends, which took place on Thanksgiving. Among the guests were Mr. and Mrs. Michel, Mr. and Mrs. Gloyd, Mr. and Mrs. William Hoffman, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Kurns, Mr. and Mrs. John McComb, Mr. and Mrs. John Waters, Mr. and Mrs. August Tonkel, Mr. and Mrs. Iven Bower and family, Mr. and Mrs. Keck, Misses Carrie and Olive Archer, Ethel Gloyd, Flossie Hoffman, Grace, Ada and Estella Waters, Norma and Estella Gloyd, Anna Waters, Blanche and Delia Kurns Gladys Gloyd, Dessie Tonkel and Gladys Archer and Messrs. Odest Gloyd, Isadore Badiac, Ora Hoffman, Virgil and Garrett Waters, Clarence and Ralph Gloyd, Homer Bowser, John Goheen, Floyd Hoffman, Floyd Kurns, Ray and Garry Tonkel, Lawrence Stuart, Lawrence, Michel, Addie Waters, Charley Waters, Lloyd Keck and Dr. Archer.

DON'T NEGLECT APPEARANCES.

Life of a woman must always be more or less a question of appearance. No woman is so good or so beautiful or so intellectual that she can afford to be dowdy.

No woman has the least right to render herself unattractive, particulary to those with whom she is most closely associated.

No woman can afford to fret or worry and nag if she wants to retain her beauty and power to please.

The spirit of compromise in married life saves many an unhappy moment.

Nothing is unimportant in a woman's life from her nails and hands to her mind and character.

A happy woman is delighted to see—a woman who is cheerful in everything she does.

HE LIKED SUGAR.

The story that I am going to tell you is about a pug that lives down in Devonshire.

This pug was a father pug who has a wife and two baby pugs. Papa pug was very fond of sugar, and his taste was shared by the rest of his family.

One morning when she was in the store-room in the middle of giving out the stores for cook, the mistress of Mr. and Mrs. Pug was suddenly called out of the room, leaving not only the outer door, but also the lower door of the store cupboard open. It was quite a quarter of an hour before she was able to return. Imagine her surprise on reaching the door to see the whole family of pugs—minus papa—standing near the cupboard, with a very expectant look upon their faces.

Just inside the cupboard stood Mr. Pug—and—what do you think he was doing? Handing out lumps of sugar in turn to each member of his waiting family, says Home Chat.

His mistress was very amused. She pretended to be very cross with him, but she really thought him a very clever doggie.

I thought so, too, when I was told the story, and I expect you will all of you agree with me.

"THE OLD BLUE BEAR AND THE RABBIT"

An unpublished poem by Eugene Field is a rare literary treat for both old and young. The wonderful sympathy and love for his children shows strongly in these verses from the poem published in the December number of the Woman's Home Companion for the first time:

A big blue Bear came up one day
And to the Rabbit's ma said he:
"I've come to take your child away
To roam the fields and woods with me."

Then Rabbit's mamma said "Oh, no,
You big blue Bear, you shall not take
My little Rabbit wandering so
Unless you've lots of jelly-cake."

The big Bear replied, "You need not fear
To let the Rabbit go with me,
For I have lots of goodies here,
As you yourself can plainly see."

And saying thus, the old blue Bear
Back from his bag the cover threw,
And mamma saw the goodies there—
The jelly-cake and candy, too.

Lassitude in Children Should Not Be Permitted

Inactive Boys and Girls Must Be Urged to Play, Kept Interested in Toys, Even Offered Rewards to Cure Indifference.

Normally healthy children should not be listless, and any lassitude not caused by illness should be corrected by parents immediately, though not by punishment, for if allowed to develop as the child grows, it will prove a drag to ambition, and in time create a spirit of laziness that is difficult to overcome, at least this is the opinion of the house physician in a babies' hospital.

"As soon as an infant is old enough to want to play, parents or nurses should study the little one's attitude toward its toys, and if the child shows lack of interest in its rattle, doll or blocks, then some other plaything should be found that will be appreciated by the youngster," she says. "Frequently a baby appears listless because there are no little brothers or sisters to play with, and when such is the case the mother or nurse should make every effort to amuse the child, for if it is allowed to sit and mope when it should be interested and active, the baby is deprived of development that rightfully belongs to it. But aside from the growth that naturally comes with toys and play the little one who is interested in nothing is almost bound to become an indolent, unambitious youth or maiden, who is dissatisfied with everything and a pronounced pessimist.

"That a mother—even an inexperienced one—should ever mistake the listlessness of ill health for that of lack of interest in play is hardly possible, so I think it is not necessary to mention it here, for if a baby seems determined not to lie still on the floor or sit quietly on a chair it usually fusses, cries, has a cold or fever that shows by its flushed cheeks or hot head that it is not in good physical condition.

Treatment of a Listless Child.

"But with listlessness that shows from day to day when a sucession of new toys or games fail to rouse any interest, there can be no mistake that the little one needs to be roused out of itself and saved from developing into a brooding and unambitious boy or girl. I feel confident that this indifferent attitude toward play and amusement is an inherited tendency, just as I am convinced that the saying 'I was born tired' is literally true. Fortunately, with persuasion, patience and doing every possible thing to rouse such a child to action, the listlessness may in time be conquered and an indolent youngster developed into an active and ambitious girl or boy.

"To rouse interest in such an infant or young child, its tastes must be studied closely, and if a bit of candy, a piece of apple or a certain kind of picture book pleases, then every effort should be made to give it these things, as often as is convenient and practicable. As it grows old enough to comprehend some reward should be held out for playing a game it does not like, or the promise that it may have a new toy or be taken to some place of amusement will often do wonders toward dispelling this indifference.

"Parents should never make the mistake of punishing children who are listless, for in all cases treated in this way the results are apt to be disastrous, and instead of helping the little ones to overcome this misfortune a whipping or scolding makes them sullen in addition to being indifferent. I know of several children who have developed into really lazy young men and women who might have been ambitious had their parents not insisted upon scolding and punishing them when they were small because of listlessness.

Offer Prizes for Speed.

"Frequently children who are active at play develop a most pronounced indifference amounting almost to laziness when asked to do some trifling duty about the house, or it may be that they dally over their lessons, or when getting bathed or dressed.

"When youngsters show this disposition to shirk, the best method of helping them to overcome it is to offer a prize if the duty is performed within a certain time limit, or if there are two or more little folk, get them to race when going on errands or doing some task about the house.

"Many cases of listlessness are overcome by the appreciation of parents in anything the little child attempts to do; if, for instance, the youngster starts to build a house of blocks and runs to its mother and asks her to look, she should never fail to stop and notice the work of the baby and compliment it, too, for these little children fairly grow under praise, while without it I know of many ambitious little ones who have become really indifferent about toys and games.

"Small girls and boys who are naturally active are frequently made positively indifferent if not almost listless by nagging parents, who spoil all childish impulses to play by always saying don't. Even an enthusiastic youngster will be made self-conscious and uncomfortable and the desire for active play lessened if its mother says 'Don't sit on the floor, you will soil your frock;' or 'Don't run so hard, you will get overheated and take cold.'"

Sales of real estate have been made by wireless telegraphy from steamships far out in the Atlantic. It is possible this marvel of science may soon be used by speculators for stock gambling all the way from shore to shore.

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She has her ambitions, strivings, hopes, failures and successes in her own field of human activity very similar to the man in his.

At times both seem to be hampered and unable to make headway against some demon of ill luck that persistently interferes, time and again just when success seems clearly in view, a little way ahead.

Oft repeated disappointment sours some and makes others more determined than ever.

It is to the latter class this preachment is directed.

Think over the past failures and you will discover that they have been caused by lack of ability to accurately analyze and think out your course and draw correct conclusions in advance to show the way.

It's a matter of Brains, well nourished, strong active Brains, that are clean and not drugged.

Suppose you clean up the machinery and be ready to think successfully, for that will mean gain of money or fame whichever you are seeking.

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SATURDAY, DEC. 1, 1906.

TONIGHT.

Unions—Street Railway Employes No. 136 (midnight); Letter Carriers No. 116; Iron, Tin and Steel Workers No. 14; Iron, Tin and Steel Workers No. 17.

Fraternal—Rathbone Sisters; F. and A. M., Wayne No. 25; Queen Esther No. 324, D. of R.

Amusements—Majestic theater, "How Baxter Butted In;" Masonic Temple theater, vaudeville.

The local track elevation project may be only sleeping, but the popular belief is that it is dead.

It has taken many weeks and cost $20,000 to get twelve men to try the Shea case in Chicago. From this it would appear that in some respects our jury system could be reformed without seriously battering that palladium of our liberties.

The president will not treat of his visit to Panama in his annual message to congress next week, but will reserve what he has to say on the subject of the canal for a special message. Doubtless he will have plenty to say and some suggestions to offer. Meanwhile there are no indications of coming necessity to overhaul the canal administration again. Perhaps, however, the president is giving himself some margin of time to satisfy himself of that. Can't always tell just what is going to happen to the canal government nor how soon.

Rev. Dr. Henry A. Buchtel, formerly a well-known minister of the gospel in Indiana and now governor-elect of Colorado, will not reside in the executive mansion, but will continue to live in his bungalow in University Park, in order to be near the University of Denver, of which he will continue chancellor.

Trust-busting, fortune-busting, graft-busting, rebate-busting and timely busting of other evils of many sorts will engage congress, some time, but not at the coming session. Term too short, of course. Congress always finds the short session a good excuse for putting off till the long session what ought to be done at once.

The Utah fuel companies, controlled by George Gould, it is declared have been stealing coal lands with shotguns. Well, is stealing coal lands or anything else with a shotgun any worse than stealing anything any other way? It may be, however, that it was sought to make the testimony to the bare fact of stealing a bit spectacular.

Among matters to be presented to the next Indiana legislature will be a bill embracing provisions for raising the retail liquor license fee much above what is now the figure fixed by law. The attempt will be to establish $1,000 as the license rate, the same figure as that established in Ohio. The new license law in Ohio has about doubled the state's revenues from liquor licenses while at the same time it has greatly diminished the number of saloons. In this latter respect almost every section of the state has gained, even the larger cities, notably Cleveland, having a very large number of saloons go out of business under operation of the new license law. There is no reason to suppose the effect of a one-thousand-dollar license fee in Indiana would not be quite similar. There may be an effort to effect a compromise on $500 in the proposed Indiana law, but the original friends of such a measure will stand stoutly for the higher figure.

Rev. John Schaeffer, of North Benton, Ohio, has just celebrated his one hundred and first birthday. He is the oldest clergyman in Ohio, and possibly in the United States. He preached regularly for sixty years and has lived in his present home for ten years longer. He reads newspapers without glasses and has hardly been ill a day in his life.

Now, then, serve all of them the same sauce. The filing of affidavits against two or three saloonkeepers for disregarding the 11 o'clock law will not suffice. The campaign must be general and impartial. It also must include the Sunday business. And gambling, too, evidently needs some more attention, according to very direct intimation of our morning contemporary. In short, enforce the laws—all of them all the time.

There is a great deal of talk in Oklahoma of electing an Indian as first United States senator from that state. Three men are specially mentioned in connection with the place—Charles D. Carter, a young man of Ardmore, who owns 12,000 acres of fine land and a lot of town property; Chief McCurtain, a giant full-blood Choctaw, and Chief Pleasant Porter, a big Creek, who is regarded as an orator of ability.

WILL DELIVER SERIES OF LECTURES ON BIBLE SUBJECTS

Rev. Louis Meyer, of Chicago, at Bible Training School Next Week.

Beginning next Monday evening at 7:30 o'clock Rev. Louis Meyer, field secretary of the Chicago Hebrew mission, will deliver a series of lectures and addresses on bible subjects in the chapel of the Bible Training school at the corner of South Wayne and Richardville avenues. Everybody is invited to the services and they will no doubt prove to be interesting and instructive. The topics for the series are as follows:

Monday, Dec. 3, 7:30 p. m.—"God's General Purpose Concerning Israel."

Tuesday, Dec. 4, 7:30 p. m.—"The Message of Israel to the Christian Church."

Wednesday, Dec. 5, 2:30 p. m.—"The Present Condition of Israel."

Thursday, Dec. 6, 2:30 p. m.—"The National Restoration of Israel."

Friday, Dec. 7, 7:30 p. m.—"God's Call to the Church on Behalf of Israel."

Saturday, Dec. 8, 11:00 a. m.—"Zionism; the Shaking of the Dry Bones."

Sunday, Dec. 9, 3:00 p. m.—"Conditions for a Forward Movement in Christian Missions to the Jews."

MUST SECURE PERMITS

Before Engaging In Sale of Denatured Alcohol.

In response to many inquiries concerning it, Deputy Revenue Collector Sharp states that before denatured alcohol can be sold under the new law which goes into effect January 1 the dealer must secure a permit from the revenue officer.

Several Allen county residents have been considering the matter of engaging in the manufacture of the denatured alcohol.

LADIES NET NEAR $100.

The Ladies' society of the Lutheran hospital held an apron sale at the institution yesterday which netted almost $100. The funds are to be used for the benefit of the hospital.

BIG EXCURSION

To Fairfield Heights tomorrow, the closing day. Come early, rain or shine, and select one of those choice lots. They are bargains. Only 50c down, then 50c to $1 a week. No interest. No taxes. Car fare refunded on grounds. Don't be late. Take South Wayne car to end of line, then go 1½ squares south.

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Ladies' Petticoats, hemstitched with deep tucks from rich Venetian embroidery, at $2.25, worth $3.75.

Another lot of Ladies' extra fine Petticoats; neatly tucked; trimmed with Swiss embroidery insertion and edge at $2.25, worth $4.00.

Ladies' Super Fine Petticoats; elaborately tucked; eyelet embroidery, at $3.00; commonly sold for $5.00.

This line of goods will sell rapidly and we advise customers to call early tomorrow morning.

Full line of Ladies' Sweaters in the very new shades; closed out tomorrow at $1.98, worth $3.50.

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Her Majesty Corsets which sold for $3.00 and $3.75, will sell at $2.50 and $2.98.

Closing out several styles of the famous Nemo Corsets at the following reductions, $1.98 which sold for $2.50.

SPECIAL CLOAK OFFER

We place on sale tomorrow our entire stock of Ladies' Long, Loose Back Coats which retailed at $12.50 and $15.00, consisting of very pretty mixtures, green, red, tan and novelty, at $9.98. These consist of over 150 garments and will sell rapidly.

150 Ladies' garments, carried over from last season. 27-inch Coats in tan, black and all colors, retailed from $5.00 to $10.00; choice $1.48.

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We offer one line at $29.00 which sold for $37.50.

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See our stunning line of Ladies' Silk Rubber Raincoats; also Automobile Coats in beautiful shades. These garments are very popular in the large cities and introduced by us in Fort Wayne.

We would suggest a call at our Doll department, because we are showing not only the largest but the most reasonably priced Dolls in the city. Likewise our China department contains all the new styles in Plates, Bowls, Sugar and Creamers, etc, etc.

Full line of Manicure Sets and Smoking Sets for gentlemen.

Just received another shipment of Dress Goods in the newest plaids.

In our Silk department we are offering a big line of Plaid Silks which commonly sell for $1.25, at 98c while they last.

One line Black Taffeta Silk Waists at $2.98, worth $4.00.

One line Ladies' Embroidery Nunsveiling Waists at $2.48.

Ladies' Striped Madras Waists in all colors at $1.48, worth $2.00.

Ladies' Black Mercerized Waists at $1.98.

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Twenty-Five Years Ago

What The Sentinel Had to Say About Persons and Events Twenty-Five Years Ago.

Liggett Brothers have purchased a beautiful new hack.

Will McKinnie has severed his connection with the Pittsburg company.

Several of our citizens are at present suffering greatly from the effects of vaccination.

Ed Woodworth has been appointed timekeeper for the L. M. & D. Construction company, with headquarters at Argos.

The Cedar Beach association has engaged the services of Capt. Weightman to manage its hotel at Turkey lake for the ensuing year.

The first of a series of five entertainments to be given by the Assembly club under the direction of Prof. Mahler will occur this evening.

Montgomery Hamilton, Fred J. Hayden, J. M. Moritz and T. B. Hedekin left yesterday for Northern Michigan on a hunting and fishing expedition.

At a meeting of the Indiana Bar association, held at Indianapolis, Hon. R. C. Bell was elected vice president and Hon. R. S. Taylor director for the Fourth district.

W. R. Nelson, of Kansas City, was married at Chicago last Tuesday to Miss Ida Houston. Among those present from this city were Hon. I. D. G. Nelson and Mrs. Henry W. Bond.

Marriage licenses: August Rhein and Barbara Beyerlein, William Bowman and Luella McLane, George Woody and Annie Beshel, Jacob C. Clay and Viola Gavvens, Daniel Small and Nettie McCague.

The committee of the shop project met last evening at the residence of Hon. Joseph K. Edgerton, and D. N. Foster was appointed secretary. It was decided to invite the chief officials of the New York, Chicago & St. Louis railroad to first come to this city to hold a consultation regarding the location, dimensions, perpetuity and character of the company's proposed shops.

REMOVAL

Dr. W. T. Ferguson has moved his office to 222 WEST WAYNE ST.

DR. E. F. SITES

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Dr. Rush, the Osteopathic Physician of Fort Wayne, has a number of patients from this place who are taking treatment regularly and results obtained seem remarkable.—Antwerp Argus.

Northern Indiana News and Gossip

Fear of smallpox has led the county health board to close the public schools at Miami.

Mrs. Samuel Leffel died Thursday at Silver Lake, Kosciusko county, at the age of 90 years.

While playing football at Milford, Gus Kunkle, captain of the Elkhart team, broke his leg.

Emerson Leffel and Miss Zora Leedy and Charles Lathem and Miss Dessie Leedy were married at Peru Thursday evening. The brides are sisters.

An independent military company has been organized at Albion, with Bert Rickard as captain. The organization is to be known as the Albion Independent Rifles.

Children of the public schools at Columbia City contributed three wagon loads of provisions which were distributed among the poor of the city on Thanksgiving day.

E. L. Carroll, a Decatur grain dealer, has sold his interests in the elevators at Decatur, Monroe, Peterson, Curryville and Craigville to George T. Burk, of Colfax, Ind.

H. E. Coppock, a Central Union telephone lineman, fell from a pole at Peru, breaking his jaw in two places and also his right arm. The injured man lives at Indianapolis.

Frank Kircher, of Garrett, is considering several offers for his pacing horse, "Billy Foster," and has fixed his price at $2,500. The horse has a mark of 2:11½ over a half-mile track.

A. Wasmuth & Sons, whose bank at Andrews was recently the subject of a futile attack by bank robbers, will now erect a new bank building and provide it with a vault of the most approved pattern.

Ex-Congressman Jacob D. Leighty, of St. Joe, DeKalb county, recently planted two thousand apple trees, making nearly five thousand trees in his orchard, which embraces nearly eighty acres of land.

Lloyd Miller, 15 years old, employed in a printing plant at South Whitley, lost all four fingers of his right hand in an accident Wednesday evening, getting his hand beneath a big paper knife. The fingers were sheared completely off.

Mrs. Julia Thoman, of Garrett, is minus a $75 diamond ring, and she believes she accidentally threw the jewel into the stove with some waste paper a few days ago. Examination of the ashes, however, failed to reveal any trace of the sparkler.

Samuel Spencer, the Southern railroad president who was killed in a wreck in Virginia Thursday morning, gave a park to the city of Logansport fifteen years ago. The park contains fifteen acres and was named for its donor.

Thanksgiving festivities at the home of A. F. Wilden, of Goshen, were turned to sorrow by the receipt of a telegram while the family party was yet at dinner, announcing the death of a son, A. F. Wilden, jr., at Memphis, Tenn., who was the only absent member of the family.

It has just been learned that Mrs. John Epps, sent to prison for life by the Huntington circuit court twenty-three years ago on a charge of having poisoned her aged husband, was pardoned some time ago and is now living in Michigan. Her release was given her eight months ago, but the information did not reach Huntington county until within the past few days.

Joe Osborne, who was convicted at Decatur two years ago for the killing of his father-in-law, John Busenbark, and was sentenced to prison for life, was given a two-days' parole this week to enable him to attend the funeral of his aged father at Elwood. The father remained devoted to his son during the trial.

Mrs. Tishimingo Higgins, whose record is as picturesque as her name, is in jail at Wabash on an eleven days' sentence for intoxication and holds the state record for women who are habitual drunkards. In her career she has been arrested probably fifty times and her sentence will be equal to two years of her life in jail.

Operators employed in the exchange of the Home Telephone company at Logansport inaugurated a strike on Thanksgiving day because the company would not grant them a half holiday, and eight of the operators walked out. Their places were filled by trained substitutes, and a force of forty operators is again complete.

How Diphtheria Is Contracted.

One often hears the expression, "My child caught a severe cold which developed into diphtheria," when the truth was that the cold had simply left the little one particularly susceptible to the wandering diphtheria germ. When Chamberlain's Cough Remedy is given it quickly cures the cold and lessens the danger of diphtheria or any other germ disease being contracted. For sale by all druggists.

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In New York one out of every nineteen persons is a member of a labor organization. In England the proportion is one in every twenty-two; in Germany, one in thirty-one; in France, one in fifty; in Italy, one in 125, and in Spain, one in every 325.

POE NEWS.

(Sentinel Correspondence.)

Poe, Ind., Dec. 1.—A very pretty home wedding of the week took place at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Mercer, Saturday evening at 7 o'clock when their daughter, Miss May, became the bride of Mr. Russell Shearer. The occasion was fraught with greatest pleasure to all those present. The house was beautifully decorated with white and yellow chrysanthemums. The bride was beautifully gowned in white, and a bouquet of bride's roses and roses in her hair completed her costume. The ceremony was performed at 7 o'clock by Rev. Daugherty, pastor of the M. E. church at this place. The wedding march was played by Mrs. Chas. Horton, of Fort Wayne, who also played, "Love and Passion" during the ceremony. Mr. and Mrs. Shearer will be at home to their many friends after the 5th of December at 2608 Gay street, in Fort Wayne. They were the recipients of many presents. Mr. Shearer is a son of Mr. and Mrs. Atwell Shearer, a prominent farmer of Pleasant township, and has a host of friends both here and in Fort Wayne where he has been employed for the past two years as a carpenter at the Pennsylvania shops. Miss Mercer is a bright and accomplished young lady and numbers her friends by her acquaintances. She has been organist in the Poe M. E. church for a number of years. The following relatives and friends were present: Mr. and Mrs. Atwell Shearer, and sons, Charles and Ray; Dr. and Mrs. D. J. Mercer, Miss Verba Mercer, Mr. Fryo, Mr. and Mrs. Gerdion Somers, Mr. Reed Caston and Miss Lesta Comer, all of this place; Rev. Dougherty and wife, of Hoagland. The following Fort Wayne friends: Mr. and Mrs. Chance Somers, Mr. and Mrs. Willie Shearer, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Mercer, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Horton, Mr. and Mrs. Shultz.

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Mr. and Mrs. Levy Griffith and daughter Mrs. Phil Hyman, of Fort Wayne, spent Sunday visiting with Mr. and Mrs. James Essig.

Mr. and Mrs. Simon Somers and Messrs. Lucius and Harley Somers were entertained by Mr. and Mrs. Marion Smith and Mr. Clem Smith Sunday.

Miss Etna Trenary is a guest at the home of her sister, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Clark, this last week.

Mr. Frank Corville was a guest of John Essig Thursday.

The Homemakers association and the Farmers institute were held at this place Thursday, November 22, and Friday November 23. The interesting program was carried out as arranged in the presence of a large and interested attendance. The Antioch young people sang several songs and Miss Hilda Spiegel, of Fort Wayne, rendered several fine violin soles accompanied by her sister, Miss Marie, who played the organ.

Mr. and Mrs. John Essig spent Saturday and Sunday visiting relatives in Fort Wayne.

Misses Florence Morton and Iona Ketrow were guests of Miss Florence Dell Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Preston Snider visited with Mr. and Mrs. Charles Clark, of Ossian, Sunday.

Mr. Harry Trenary spent Sunday visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Trenary.

Miss Iona Ketrow primary teacher of the Poe school, is visiting her parents in Fort Wayne the latter part of this week.

Mr. and Mrs. James Deel visited their daughter, Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Essig and family Sunday.

Misses Hilda and Marie Spiegel who have been visiting with their cousin, Miss Ethel Snider the past week, have returned to their home in Fort Wayne.

Charles Harrod is employed by Mr. Alva Hadley.

William Double and Byron Chapman visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. William Lohman Sunday.

The Mite society of the Lutheran church at Hoagland gave a seven-cent social at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Youse Tuesday evening. The following young people were present and all enjoyed an excellent time: The Misses Anna Harrod, Ada Ruhl, Lulu Ruhl, Callie Ruhl, Minnie Falls, Ethel Brown, Ida McIntosh, Bertha Stuart, Effie Dougherty and Miss Alberta McKeeman, of Fort Wayne, and the Messrs. Frank Corville, Rollo Utley, Dwight Youse, Lon Youse, Everett Hubler, Ben Ruhl, Chester Ruhl, Homer Ruhl, Alfred Dougherty, Ben Hooke and John Essig.

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The Marion Township Sunday School association held their convention for the year in the Antioch Lutheran church at Hoagland Sunday, November 18th. Following was the program:

—Sunday Afternoon.—

1:30—Song service, led by Ed Corville.
Invocation ..Rev. C. B. Dougherty
1:45—"Church Members' Duty to the Sunday School"...J. W. VanBuskirk
Solo ..... Miss Lulu Ruhl
2:10—"Teachers' Encouragement" .....
..... Rev. Dougherty
Music.
2:55—Song by the Juniors of Antioch.
3:00—Address ..... J. M. Gibson
Election of officers for ensuing year.
Collection.
Song and benediction.

—Sunday Evening.—

7:30 Song service led by Mr. Corville.
Invocation .... Rev. H. C. Roehner
7:40—"Echoes from the County Sunday School Convention" .....
..... Mrs. Nettie Hubler
8:00—"A Stray Sunbeam"...Mrs. Gressley
Music.
8:15—"Sunday School and the Nation..
..... Rev. Roehner
Music.
8:50—Song and benediction.

There was a discussion on most all of the questions.

The following officers were elected for the ensuing year:

President—Mr. J. W. Forner.
Vice President—Mr. C. E. Morton.
Secretary—Miss Ada Ruhl.
Treasurer—Mr. A. J. Archbold.
President of Home Department—S. M. Kirch.
President of Primary Department—Miss Ida McIntosh.

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Mr. and Mrs. Edward Somers entertained at their home Sunday Mr. and Mrs. Gideon Somers, and the Misses Marie and Hilda Speigel and Ethel Snider.

Quite a number of Poeites attended church at the Hoagland M. E. church Sunday evening. The Rev. Dougherty conducted the services.

Mr. and Mrs. Atwell Shearer gave a dinner in honor of their son's marriage to Miss May Mercer which occurred Saturday evening. The same guests were present that were present at the wedding at the home of the bride's parents.

Mr. Arthur Mullen has purchased the Ed Shearer property and will move in this week. Mr. Gideon Ake will move where Mr. Mullen lived and he will operate the switchboard of the Farmers' Rural Telephone company which will be placed in his house. Mr. John Ake will then move on the old farm when Gideon leaves.

It is a mistake to use a violent cathartic to open the bowels. A gentle movement will accomplish the same results without causing distress or serious consequences later. DeWitt's Little Early Risers are recommended. Sold by all druggists.

Investigation of the capacity of hens to lay eggs resulted in the discovery that the egg production of hens decreases considerably after the age of four years. Thus, a hen lays at the age of one year about twenty eggs; at the age of two years, about 120; at the age of three years, about 135; at the age of four years, about 115; at the age of five years, about eighty, and at the age of six years, about sixty.

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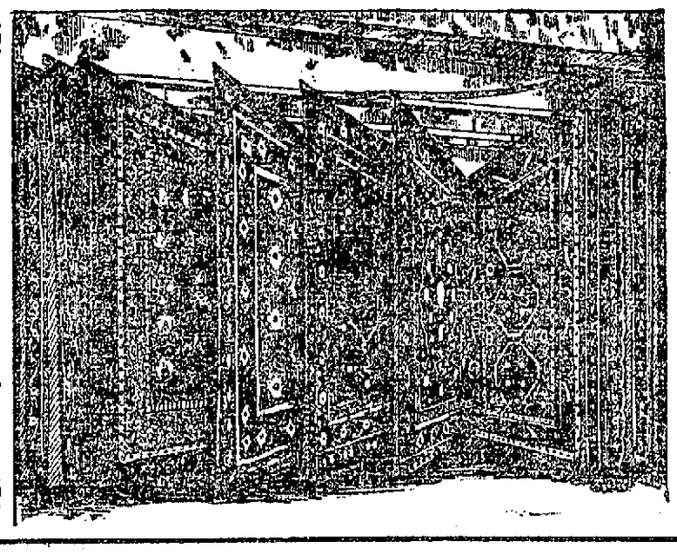

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Savory Mince Meat and Other Recipes

BY EMMA PADD OCK TELFORD

Mince Meat.

For four mince pies you will require one cup of chopped meat, three cups apples, one cup granulated sugar, a cup and a half soft brown sugar one-third cup molasses, a cup and a half seeded raisins, one cup of the liquor in which the meat was cooked, a teaspoonful and a half salt, two teaspoonfuls cinnamon, half a teaspoonful each of cloves, allspice and mace, quarter of a pound of citron, one lemon, half a cup boiled cider and a quarter of a cup of jelly or fruit juice. Use meat having some fat or else add a quarter cup beef suet chopped fine and freed from strings. The tough end of a sirloin steak cut off before broiling and cooked until tender is often enough to make three or four pies. After filling the pies, sprinkle with a little more sugar if your apples are pretty sour, and lay at frequent intervals over the top some large raisins seeded.

Plum Pudding Without Brandy.

The ingredients for this pudding, which is never known to disagree with anybody, young or old, are one-half pound flour, one-half pound raisins (stoned and chopped), one-half pound currants (picked over and cleaned), one-half pound suet (chopped fine), one teaspoonful salt, four well beaten eggs, one-half nutmeg, one teaspoonful cloves, one-third cup molasses and milk enough to stir easily with a spoon, a scant cupful usually. Tie in a floured cloth, plunge into rapidly boiling water and cook three hours without allowing the water to stop boiling a moment. If it shows signs of cooking away, replace with boiling water from the teakettle. Two hours before dinner Thanksgiving day boil again.

Temperance Pudding Sauce.

Beat to a cream one egg (well beaten first), one cupful of sugar and a half cupful of butter. Add one tablespoonful of boiling water, set the dish in a vessel of boiling water and cook, stirring all the time until the sauce comes to a boil. Add ground cinnamon or any other flavoring desired.

Charlotte Russe.

Line a jelly mould with slices of stale sponge cake or split lady fingers. Whip a pint thick cream to a stiff froth, then stir in gradually the whites of two eggs beaten stiff with a cupful of powdered sugar. Flavor with vanilla, or almond, pour into the cake lined mould and set on the ice for at least two hours before serving. When ready to serve pass the blade of a knife around inside the mould, then slip out on to a chilled dish.

Christmas Candies From Maple Sugar.

Grate one pound of the maple sugar and add to one cup of cream. Stir until melted on back of stove, then cook until the syrup forms ball when rolled between thumb and forefinger. Chop in course bits two cups butternut meats and scatter thickly over the bottom of buttered pans. Pour out the candy to the thickness of a third of an inch over the nuts, let it harden a little, then crease into squares with a knife. When cold break into candies.

Maple Cream Candy.

Add to three cupfuls grated maple sugar one cupful thick sweet cream. Boil until it hardens when dropped in cold water, take from the fire and beat with a silver fork until the consistency of very thick cream. Pour in buttered tins and when cool cut in squares.

If you lack cream use milk with a piece of butter the size of a small egg.

Xmas Gifts That Men Will Like

"Why aren't there more Christmas gifts that are appropriate for men?" or, "Are there any novel presents so the stereotyped collar box, hat brush or stickpin will not have to be given this Christmas?" are questions often heard at this season of the year, particularly by women who do fancy work. And for once the answer may be that there is at least one attractive gift that an ingenious woman who has had a little experience in needlework can make.

This present is a waistcoat and naturally appropriate, and is considered just now particularly smart for business, so that it should be more than acceptable to the average man. The material for this garment is perforated felt, in hunter's green, wine, red, black, ecru or white, and is embroidered simply or in an elaborate design with chenille or a combination of chenille and heavy silk thread. Most of the embroidery work is done in two tone effects and in snowflake patterns that are exceedingly pretty. The felt is lined with a thin silk, and when the embroidery is finished the pieces, with silk for the back, must be sent to a tailor to be put together. Of course the material is first cut in shape as close to the measurements of the man who is to wear it as can be done without his suspecting, so that when the design is worked in all the tailor has to do is to put the pieces together and the garment is ready to wear. It takes about seven-eighths of a yard of felt that costs at least $5, while the ragtail chenille, which is expensive, amounts to $15 or $20, making the garment quite a costly gift.

Tobacco Pouches Always Acceptable.

Tobacco pouches are always acceptable gifts for men, and stunning ones may be made from suede. A pretty pouch in rich brown or dark green, lined with a maroon silk, would be attractive when the edges are plaited and a draw string of heavy silk with long tassels run in near the top. It's not the kid, the lining or the cord that makes these bags so unusual, for without the monogram or crest done in gilt thread or in bright colored silks, the pouches, aside from being handmade would be quite the same as those bought in the shops. But with an attractive emblem or two or three initials prettily embroidered in one corner, the pouches are presents any man, no matter how surfeited with gifts, would be glad to receive.

Knitted or crocheted ties, though not a novelty, will be desirable gifts, for they are serviceable and, being made by hand, are a valuable accessory to any wardrobe. In plain green, dark cardinal or made of a combination of two tone effects, or of two strongly contrasting colors, such as black and red, or orange and blue, they are striking contrasts as neckwear.

Silk Scarfs for Motoring Are New.

Similar to these ties, though a fad that has just been introduced, are the home-made silk scarfs to be worn when automobiling, or, if necessary, with evening clothes, to protect the throat during cold weather. They are about twenty-four inches long, ten inches wide, and are finished at either end with knotted silk fringe. In black, white, or black and white, dark green, plum or navy blue, they are pretty and are practical, for they are long enough to be worn around the neck at least twice without being bulky and uncomfortable.

Desk accessories always make useful gifts and as a rule need replenishing at least once a year, and this usually about Christmas time so that the new year can be begun with novel and attractive articles to work with. Incidentally they make the desk look smarter, and unconsciously give the worker a pleasurable feeling whenever he uses them. One of these that is particularly serviceable is a small hand blotter in the shape of an oak or grape leaf, with a leather backing or top of pig skin or morocco. Two or three thicknesses of blotting paper beneath the leather are held together with a miniature china frog, an enameled beetle, or a dog's or horse's head that rests on the pig skin or morocco and makes an ornate finish.

A twine box is another desk article that is always handy. This can be made by covering a tin can or round wooden box with pig skin. There should be a lid with two holes through which the twine may be pulled and between the holes a piece of sharp metal on which the string may be cut when necessary.

Dressing the Red-Haired Girl

Colors She Should Wear and Those to Avoid.

I once heard a man remark, "Why is it that red or auburn-headed women invariably display such bad taste in dressing? As a class, I have found them most capable, possessing common sense and intelligence in a marked degree, bright and quick to see different subjects from all points of view, yet when it comes to garbing themselves, nineteen out of every twenty is either a dowdy or a fright, according as they have chosen their toilet. Now, as a rule, brunettes have good taste, their gowns, if not what might be termed artistic, do not set one's teeth on edge, while the genuine blonde, though she may appear a nonentity sometimes, seldom dons antagonistic colors. True, when one does meet a red haired woman really becomingly gowned she is a glorious creature, and neither the stunning blonde nor the brilliant brunette can approach her, possibly for the reason that she is so rare."

Dressing a Science to Red Haired Woman.

Now, this statement is not entirely true. The brunette may be absolutely without any knowledge at all as to what will become her. Her fastetul appearance may be more a matter of chance than anything else, as there are so few colors that she cannot wear successfully, while the genuine blondes, or between type, lacking any particularly strong coloring, naturally will not have to fight other colors, consequently, if her toilet is not exactly harmonious, it will possibly be at least inconspicuous. Here, too, not because her taste is her guide, but simply because she cannot be different. So it is rather hard on the red haired woman to say that her taste is always at fault, for she has difficulties to meet and overcome that are entirely unknown to any other type.

Golden Brown an Impossible Color.

It is, I know, the generally accepted opinion that blondes of the auburn tresses should wear golden brown and pale blue in preference to any other colors. I beg to differ. Certain browns, notably golden, will surely kill every trace of gold in the hair and absolutely lighten the eyes, eye-brows and eyelashes. If the eyes are blue, then a faded, washed out hue steals into them, while the lashes shading them and the brows above appear actually straw color, and how insipid the complexion!

In my opinion, yellowish browns and fawn shades are really the very worst colors that could be chosen by this type, though the genuine pale baby blues are very little better, except that they act in an opposite direction, and instead of reducing the red tints in the hair, dulling the owner into insignificance as will the yellow browns, they simply intensify the red a hundred fold, bringing out all the fiery redness rather than the gold in the hair.

Wood Browns Most Becoming.

A rich, deep, dark brown, as seen in sealskin and handsome velvets, she can wear and will look extremely well in them. By contrast the golden tints will gleam through the hair, the complexion will become clear and delicate, while eyebrows and eyelashes will actually appear dark; so after all it is only a matter of choosing the right shade of brown. One has only to imagine a red haired woman wearing a tan covert coat and another one of the same type wearing a sealskin coat to be convinced that the yellow browns are simply impossible.

In my opinion, milk white, black and pearl gray the latter relieved with a little creamy lace about the throat, are the most successful colors this type can choose, and, if one can trust their judgment, just a suspicion of pale lemon may be added to the gray frock, although, personally, I do not favor the yellow as do some authorities, being, in my opinion, a rather difficult color to attempt. Dark greens are good and certain soft shades of pale green; dull cadet blues I like for suits, with a dark shade of velvet about the face, or for house gowns, trimmed with lace and velvet, mauve and amethyst shades. She can wear also rich deep navy blue.

She Can Wear Dove Color.

Dove color will be especially becoming, and in choosing black, the silky semi-transparent materials will be lovely. Creamy serge trimmed with silky braid will be a happy choice and so will cashmere in amethyst shades. Reds and pinks will, of course, be strictly tabooed.

Elizabeth Lee.

Dade's Little Liver Pills thoroughly clean the system, good for lazy livers, makes clear complexions, bright eyes and happy thoughts. Sold by Rhoads' drug store.

Feathers and fur is one of the popular combinations in millinery this fall and one which is particularly pretty in its various adaptations. Velvet also is used, the three being seen on nearly every chapeau with any pretentions to style. An exceedingly attractive combination is white velvet, mink and white plumes. Both large hats and toques show these trimmings in various styles of application. In the large hats the velvet frequently forms the foundation, the feathers and fur the crown. A hat on the mushroom order of velvet shows a cluster of small fur heads over the brim in front, covering the stem ends of the long plumes. There never was a time when hats were so inexpensively gotten up as now, for the variety of materials used offers the opportunity of utilizing materials at hand, instead of going to the expense of purchasing everything new.

How To Keep Furs Clean

Keeping white furs clean is like keeping linens looking fresh, for both need much attention and frequent cleansings. Of course if women can afford to have furriers do this work they need not be so particular about preventing their muffs, collarettes or capes from getting soiled, but when the cleansing must be done at home, too much care cannot be taken to keep them clean, for the process of cleaning ermine, coney, angora, or any of the white furs, real or imitation, is a long, tedious one, that takes much strength. To begin with, they must be put out on a line and well sunned and aired for a day or two, then they must be whipped gently yet firmly with a rattan stick, until no dust flies when they are pounded.

When the loose dirt is out the furs may again be hung on a line in the sunshine, while a bath of white sand and furrier's sawdust, mixed half and half, is heated in an oven. When hot the pieces must be put into this cleanser and the sand and sawdust rubbed well into the fur. The sand when hot loosens the grease and dirt from the fur and the sawdust absorbs it. If after one such rubbing the fur does not look as clean as is desired, the process should be repeated. When the dirt is out the garment or muff must again be pounded with a rattan stick to get out the sand and sawdust.

Following this beating the fur should be placed in a pan filled with cornstarch or plaster of paris, which must be rubbed thoroughly into it. After either whitener has been worked well into the pieces the furs must again be put out of doors and whipped with a stick to get out the white dust, for if not shaken or beaten the plaster of paris or cornstarch will rub off on the clothing, which is unpleasant.

With chinchilla little can be done toward cleansing, except a gentle beating with a rattan stick. And this whipping must be lightly done, for the skin is so fine and tears so easily that a woman cannot be too careful in the beating, and the best plan is to have them cleaned by a furrier.

Beaver, mink, and many of the furs with heavy skins, are cleaned exactly as are the ermine and other white pieces, with the exception of the final rubbing on of corn starch or plaster of paris. The first beating to get out the dust, the airing, and bath of white sand and sawdust must be given these furs to properly cleanse them. Pony coats may be successfully cleaned in the same way.

With the heavy long furs, such as Alaska sable, raccoon, and oppossum, the airing and pounding with a heavy rattan stick are essential, but the hot sawdust and sand are omitted for the use of a comb with short teeth, known as a "furrier's comb."

Sables, like chinchillas, must be carefully treated and the safest plan is to send them to an expert when they need cleaning.

Serviceable School Dress

BY MRS JANE FORD.

Since mothers have learned that woollen dresses may be laundered with as much success as cotton materials, if the laundress understands her business, they select plain, but stylishly cut designs. The kilt skirt is a feature of almost all the new winter models for children, but the blouses vary in style. The plain sailor is always in good taste, if brought up to date by the modiste. Of course the lighter weight materials are more suited to the fashioning of garments for the little folks, and the plaids which are so popular this winter must not be forgotten.

To wash woollens, take ten cents' worth of soap bark, which may be had at any drug store, and pour over it a quart of boiling water. After it has stood for an hour, strain it through a piece of cheese cloth into the tub in which the garment is to be washed and add sufficient warm, but not hot, water to do the washing. Before wetting the dress, locate all spots and rub these gently between the hands; the rest of the dress lift up and down and move around in the water, so as to remove all dust and dirt. When thoroughly washed, wring out by hand and put into clear, warm water, in which a tablespoonful of borax has been dissolved. Rinse it in this water and then in another, in which the same amount of borax has been dissolved. Wring the dress as dry as possible with the hands, shake it out and hang where it will dry quickly, but not by a fire; before it is quite dry press it with a hot iron until it becomes perfectly dry. Woollen materials laundered in this way will look equal to new.

The little costume shown is a design well adapted for a dress intended for general utility wear, and could be easily laundered in the way just described.

PUMPKIN CHIPS, A COLONIAL SWEETMEAT.

Select a good sweet pumpkin (the old Connecticut field pumpkin is best), halve it, take out the seeds and strings and cut as large a portion as you wish to preserve the chips about the size of a dollar. To each pound of pumpkin allow a pound of fine white sugar and two tablespoonfuls lemon juice. Put the chips in a deep dish and sprinkle each layer with sugar. Turn the lemon juice over the whole. Let this remain for a day, then boil the whole together with a cup of water allowed to each three pounds of pumpkin, a tablespoonful ground ginger tied in bags and the shredded yellow peel of the lemons. As soon as the pumpkin is tender turn the whole into a stone crock and set in a cool place for a week. At the end of that time pour the syrup off the chips, boil down into a thick syrup, then pour back and seal.

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SPELLING REFORM IN PUZZLEDOM.

Did anybody say anything about Reformed Spelling? No, it isn't my wicked intent to stir up a row during this season of good-will, but I must take this occasion to say that for economy of space we puzzlists have other spelling reformers worn to a frazzle—witness the following.:

Y Y Y Man.

There is a farmer who is Y Y
Enough to take his E E,
And study nature with his I I,
And think of what he C C.
He hears the chatter of the J J
As they each other T T,
And sees that when a tree D K K
It makes a home for B B.
A yoke of oxen he will U U
With many haws and G G,
And their mistakes he will X Q Q
When plowing for his P P.
He little buys, but much he sells,
And therefore little O O;
And when he hoes his soil by spells
He also sells his hoes.

—Sam Loyd in Woman's Home Companion for December.

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SHOP AND RAIL

Day's Happenings in the Industrial World

PHIL DOTY RETURNS.

P. H. Doty, who represented the Fort Wayne men in the conferences with the Pennsylvania officials at Pittsburg, returned today and will meet his brethren at the meeting of A. G. Porter lodge, No. 141, B. L. F. & E., tomorrow afternoon and render a report of the situation up to date.

Nickel Plate men laying off are: C. W. Beard, brakeman, W. J. Rodgerson, engineer and Wm. West, fireman. C. W. Spangler, J. F. Lause and T. J. Reardon, conductors, and M. Trowbridge, brakeman, have reported for duty.

Ed Kruse, clerk in the drafting room at the Western Gas offices, is off duty, being unable to contain his new importance in anything as small as a room. The cause for the rejoicing is a present from his wife of a fine baby boy.

Car builders on the sick list at the east car shops are the following: B. R. Brown, R. O. Gilbert, R. H. Laumann, M. A. Mayers, J. S. Gillett and J. J. Peterson, blacksmith. E. W. Washburn, W. G. Rodenbeck and L. H. Young have reported for duty after short absences.

Paul Schaeffer, formerly of this city, but at present employed at his trade in Detroit, is in Fort Wayne visiting his parents. He is a machinist and learned his trade at the Indiana Road Machine works.

The fingers and toes of several car builders at the east car shops are the worse for wear today. O. F. Nees, thumb severely cut; G. J. Hasty, toe mashed, and R. C. Steinke, finger mashed, were the unlucky ones. The accidents will prevent their working for some time.

CONFERENCES POSTPONED.

The Expected Settlement Did Not Materialize This Week.

Contrary to expectations, the wage scale conference between the representatives of the trainmen employed on the Pennsylvania lines and the officials did not end yesterday. The officials returned to Pittsburg from Philadelphia, where they conferred with General Manager W. W. Atterbury, and it was expected a definite answer would be given to the trainmen yesterday. The meetings will be continued and it is likely the railroad will make some concesions, as several roads in the central district have granted the demands.

WILL CHANGE TIME CARD.

Wabash Preparing a New Schedule for Winter Months.

On Sunday, December 9, the Wabash will make a change in its time card, which will involve several of the trains now in service. No. 7, westbound, which leaves this city under present schedule at 9:50 in the morning, will be taken out of service and No. 24, which now runs between Tilton and Toledo, will under the new schedule start from Fort Wayne at 4:50 p. m. and reach Toledo over the old line at 7 o'clock. No. 11, now scheduled to arrive here at 11:50 a. m., will be taken out of service and in its stead will be No. 21, which will reach the city from the east at 10:45 a. m. No. 14 will leave Fort Wayne for Toledo, running via Montpelier, at 6:30 p. m., and reach its destination at 10 p. m. Nos. 1 and 4, the Continental limited, and Nos. 2, 9, 3 and 8 will run upon the present schedule.

FOREMAN RETIRES.

Gus Grosh Asks to Be Relieved of Office at Wabash Shops.

At his own request Gustave P. Grosh has retired from the position of general foreman of the Wabash shops and will assume his old position of foreman of the erecting department next Monday. Christian E. Paul, who has been erecting foreman for several weeks, has been appointed acting general foreman and assumed that duty this morning. Before coming to Fort Wayne Mr. Paul was general foreman of the Tilton shops of the company and his experience there qualifies him for the duties of the office he assumed this morning. Mr. Grosh had been general foreman several months, but the position was not to his liking and he asked to be relieved.

NEW STYLE CONCRETE POSTS.

Last week the Pennsylvania erected four concrete telegraph poles near Crestline, which are heavier and of a different pattern from those erected at Maples several weeks ago and mentioned by The Sentinel at the time. The new poles are thirty feet long, fourteen inches at the base and eight inches at the top and weigh 4,500 pounds each. The cross arms are also constructed of concrete, are ten foot long and equipped for eight telegraph wires. The new poles, like those installed at Maples, were made by Contractor H. W. Tapp and are an experiment which is intended to determine the best method of making concrete poles, which will some day be the standard of the Pennsylvania.

OFFICE WILL BE ABOLISHED.

Edmund Yardly, one of the last of the "Old Guard" of the Pennsylvania railroad in Pittsburg, ended his railroad career yesterday afternoon, when he retired on a pension, and it was announced that the position of statistician of the Pennsylvania lines west, which was created in 1890, will be abolished. The position was created for Mr. Yardly, who spent practically his entire life in the service of that company. The work will be divided among the various departments in the Union station, and Mr. Yardly's office force will be transferred to another department.

CARS ARE VERY SCARCE.

It is said that the Pennsylvania lines west of Pittsburg daily refuse freight because the company cannot furnish cars sufficient to handle it. It is said that the lines could use and furnish power to handle 10,000 more cars than it now has in service. This probably accounts for the reduction of working hours in the locomotive department of the lines west, while the car departments are running overtime and increasing their working forces. The Pennsylvania, it is said, was never better provided with locomotives than at present, though there would be none too many if cars were more plentiful.

ENGINEER HAS ARM BROKEN.

Leonard Lang Meets With Distressing Accident at Bass Works.

Early yesterday morning Leonard Lang, stationary engineer at the Bass machine shop, had the bones of his right arm fractured just above the wrist. He was in the act of removing an oil cup when the machinery was moving and the wrench slipped and allowed his hand to go forward until it was caught by the engine rod and the bones broken as stated. The accident will disable Mr. Lang several weeks and during his absence Joseph Jordan will have charge of the engine room.

IS APPOINTED FOREMAN.

Samuel Brown Gets a Good Position at Lafayette.

Samuel Brown, a car inspector at the Chesnut street shops of the Fort Wayne & Wabash Valley Traction company, has been appointed foreman of the company's shops at Lafayette. Mr. Brown has been in the service of the traction company for nine years and the promotion comes as a recognition of faithful services performed Mr. Brown will leave Monday to assume his new duties but for the present his family will remain in this city.

KNOCKED OUT BY PINCH BAR.

J. A. Schlemmer received a knockout blow from a pinch bar at 1 o'clock this morning, while at work in the Pennsylvania tank shop. He was using the bar to lift an engine tender so that the trucks could be put under it and the bar slipped and struck him on the point of the chin, rendering him unconscious for some time. He was removed to St. Joseph hospital, where he is now resting comparatively easy. No serious results will follow.

WEEKLY ENGINE OUTPUT.

Ten engines received general repairs at the Pennsylvania shops during the week closing today and eight were taken in for repairs. The repaired engines were Nos. 7057, 7031, 7023, 7571, 7263, 7896, 7177, 7476 and 7842, belonging to the Pennsylvania, and 84 belonging to the G. R. & I. Those taken in for repairs were Nos. 89, of the G. R. & I., and 7891, 7193, 7066, 7068, 7215, 7439 and 7280.

CUTTING OFF WORK.

With the exception of one gravel train used in ballasting the work on changes in the line between Logansport and this city, all ballasting on the Fort Wayne and Wabash Valley traction lines has been dropped for the winter. The one train remaining will be in use as long as work is in progress on the west end. During the past summer ballasting was general on all lines of the company between Fort Wayne and Logansport and Fort Wayne and Bluffton.

INCREASED FACILITIES.

Bass Foundry Adds Fifty Tons to Its Daily Output of Car Wheels.

Another cupola, making seven in operation, was put in service at the Bass car wheel foundry yesterday. This cupola will handle fifty tons of metal a day and will add that amount to the output of car wheels, an increase which will be quite an item towards removing the pressure on that department of the great works. The new cupola works excellently.

CAUGHT RUNAWAY BOY.

Last night Capt. H. C. Stoll, of the Pennsylvania police department, picked up a lad named Byford Van Slack, took him to a hotel and detained him until noon today, when he was delivered to his father, Cornelius Van Slack, who came down from Chicago for that purpose. Byford is about twelve years old and he ran away from home yesterday. The father is a prominent wholesale druggist.

KILLED FORTY-FOUR DEER.

The thirty-seven hunters from Elida and Convoy, Ohio who went to Ladysmith and Glidden, Wis., on a hunting expedition ten days ago, passed through Fort Wayne on their homeward trip last night. They were accompanied by the carcasses of forty-four deer, which they killed during their stay in the wilderness. This is the largest catch of the season so far.

BRAKEMAN HAS ANKLE HURT.

E. Virtz, a freight brakeman in the employ of the Pennsylvania company, stepped upon a small piece of coal in alighting from a car yesterday and his foot turned, spraining his ankle badly. The accident will disable him for some days.

MOVING TO CALIFORNIA.

F. C. Stoll, for a number of years a baker in the employ of the Haffner bakery, is en route to Los Angeles, where he has accepted a position with a big establishment. He is a brother to George Stoll, gang foreman at the Pennsylvania erecting shop.

INDUSTRIAL NOTES.

H. B. Howey and Ed. Klotz are new helpers in the tin shop at Bowser's.

Joseph Hodges is a new boilermaker's helper at the Western Gas works.

Sickness keeps Machinist William Hanson from his duties at the Bass shops.

Pennsylvania Shopmen C. Hoeptner and F. W. Mennewisch are sick and off duty.

J. Lamp, C. E. Avis and J. D. Buckley, Grand Rapids firemen, are sick and off duty.

A car load of gas machinery to Lafayette left the Kerr Murray works yesterday.

New car repairmen at the east car shops are J. A. Hinbert, H. N. Wedritz and I. J. Laur.

W. C. Byrhode, machinist's helper, resigned a position at the Wabash shops this morning.

Engineer T. S. Foley, of the G. R. & I., is off duty on acount of the serious illness of his mother.

J. Sheil, a car builder at the east car shops, is unable to work on account of an injured eye.

C. Schrader, O. Blust and Fred Lemke are new employes at the Huffman Bros. lumber yards.

J. B. Callaghan, boilermaker at the Pennsylvania shops, is attending a funeral of a friend at New Haven today.

Joseph Ebner, an erector for the Kerr Murray works left today for Aurora, Ill., to do some work for the company.

C. M. Carey and C. J. Houppert, of the Pennsylvania shops, will be the guests of friends at Payne, Ohio, tomorrow.

Mrs. J. G. Polhamus, wife of a tinner at the Pennsylvania shops, is in Valparaiso to spend a few days with relatives.

Louis Joutz and family will spend Sunday visiting friends in Muncie. Mr. Joutz is assistant baggage man at the Lake Shore depot.

Alonzo Swank, of the Electric works, left for Covington, Ind., today to repair some machinery in an electric power plant.

J. M. Handy, of the railroad department at the Bowser works, has returned from a short visit in Battle Creek, Mich.

R. Mathews, stock clerk at the Indiana Road Machine works, has resumed work after a short absence on account of sickness.

The Kerr Murray plant was closed all day today to allow the connecting of the pattern and machine shop engines with the new boilers.

John McLaughlin and C. P. Persing, construction men for the Bowser firm, have returned from a three weeks trip in the interests of the company.

Today the Western Gas company shipped a car load of machinery to Auburn Junction, Ind., for the gas plant which the firm is erecting at that place.

C. F. Tielker, of the Pennsylvania blacksmith shop, is off duty on account of a wounded leg, the result of a car axle falling upon him.

C. F. Hatmaker, manager of the mail order department, has gone to New York to represent the Bowser firm at their exhibit at the automobile show.

A number of the employes at the Pennsylvania blacksmith shop laid off today to attend the funeral of the late wife of their fellow shopman, James E. Quinn.

G. Lindeman, car builder at the east car shops, is on the sick list. R. H. Lauman reported for work this morning after being on the absentee list for several days.

Two switch engines lettered D. & R. G., of an immense pattern, were a part of a Wabash train this morning, en route to Denver, where they will be put in service.

Otto Schlink, a former resident of Fort Wayne, who was here to spend Thanksgiving with relatives, returned to Peru last night. He is foreman in a railway shop in that city.

Thomas Krouse, a passenger fireman on the Pennsylvania, had the misfortune to break the bone of one of his fingers yesterday and will be off duty a few days as a result.

Word has been received in this city that the son of W. H. Taylor, formerly chief clerk at the Nickel Plate freight house and now employed in a similar capacity in Cleveland, is dead.

Frank Draker has resigned his position as a section foreman on the Lake Shore to prepare to assume his duties in connection with his city contract for the garbage removal.

Boilermaker Andy Yates, of the Pennsylvania shops, was summoned home yesterday by the serious illness of his wife, who has since been taken to the hospital for treatment.

Martin Cramer, foreman of the labor department at the Pennsylvania's shops and yards, expects to resume work Monday, after an illness of several weeks.

J. N. Robertson, general foreman of the Wabash shops at Peru, was in the city yesterday to confer with Master Mechanic Smith on matters connected with the department.

J. H. P. Hughart, general manager of the G. R. & I., passed through the city in his private car on train No. 4 last night, en route to Florida, where he will spend a few weeks.

L. S. Herman, who has been ill with typhoid fever for three months, paid a visit to the east car shops this morning, but will be unable to begin work for several weeks. He is a car repairman.

Tomorrow night John W. Thompson, asistant foreman at the Bass machine shop, will go to Kalamazoo to start an engine in the plant of the Standard Paper company which was built at the Bass works.

Carl Sommers has resigned his position as a machinist at the Bowser works. The resignation was made necessary by the failing health of his wife and they will return to Peoria, Ill., Mrs. Sommers' former home.

Mrs. Elliott, wife of the pattern shop foreman, S. B. Elliott, of the Fort Wayne Electric works, who was operated upon at Hope hospital last Tuesday, is getting along nicely and will soon be able to see her friends.

Foreman M. W. Kemp, of the Pennsylvania lumber yards, this morning added the following names to his list of employes: William Blair, Ralph Simon, L. N. Krewson, Fred Linnemoyer and Albert Fuhrmann.

A. M. Brown, a car repairman at the Pennsylvania shops, is en route to Leavenworth, Kansas, to look after the estate of his son, who died there some time ago.

Henry Marshall and Joseph Vovis are new helpers on the Western Gas pay roll. They will take the places of E. Williams and A. Johnson, who have resigned.

A twenty-horse power gasoline engine for the Grand Rapids and Indiana railroad and a fifteen-horse power one for Delphos, O., were orders booked by the Fort Wayne Foundry and Machine company today.

Harry Finney, who is engaged in inspecting new engine work at the Pittsburg Locomotive shops for the Pennsylvania company, has returned to that establishment after spending the holidays with his folks in this city.

Machinist William O'Conners was unable to report for duty at the Pennsylvania shops this morning, his presence being required at home on account of the very serious condition of his wife, who is said to be better this afternoon.

H. O. Dermedy, Pennsylvania passenger fireman, has received word of the marriage of his cousin, Miss Martha Dillon, to Roy Evers, both of Falling Waters, Iowa, at the home of Mr. Dermedy's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Dermedy, in that city. The groom is a postal clerk and the couple will make their home in Iowa Falls.

A. G. Porter lodge, No. 141, B. L. F. and E., will hold a meeting tomorrow afternoon to initiate a number of applicants, most of whom are residents of Muncie and employes of the Lake Shore and Western road. Muncie has no lodge of the order and the brotherhood men in that city are members of A. G. Porter lodge.

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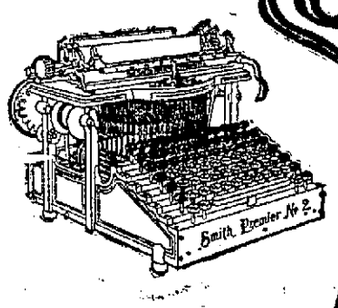

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THE WEATHER.

Chicago, Dec. 1.—Forecast for Indiana: Fair tonight, except rain or snow in south portion; Sunday, fair; colder tonight and in south portion Sunday.

CITY BREVITIES.

Matt Mopper has returned from a business trip to Massillon, O.

Samuel Chaska has returned from a business trip to New York city.

A. M. Tyler, of the Wayne hotel, has gone to Indianapolis on a business trip.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Schumaker have returned from a week's visit in Columbus, O.

Dr. C. E. Barnett, of this city, has returned from a visit at his old home in Burlington, Ky.

Blanche Rauch and Jess A. Rayl have returned from Auburn, where they spent Thanksgiving with friends.

Dr. Charles J. Rothschild, of this city, has returned from Chicago, where he spent Thanksgiving with friends.

Mrs. J. E. Bowman has been called to Madison, Wis., by the serious illness of her daughter, Mrs. R. M. Davidson.

The regular meeting of the Retail Merchants' association will be held Monday evening in the Commercial club rooms.

Deputy Trustee Dennis Gorman is again ill at St. Joseph hospital. He was recently operated on but the operation failed to bring him relief.

Charles Stellborn, of West Superior street, celebrated the fiftieth anniversary of his arrival in Fort Wayne today by inviting a number of his close friends and relatives to a dinner.

Prosecutor Daniel B. Ninde has returned from a trip to New York city. Mrs. Ninde, who is taking treatment there for illness, is much improved but will not return for some time.

At the meeting of the ladies of branch No. 370, L. C. B. A. in St. Patrick's hall last evening they presented Father Delaney with $100 in gold. Father Mungovan made the presentation remarks.

While preparing a meal several days ago, Mrs. William Conrad, of East Jefferson street, was badly burned by the blowing off of a coffee pot. She is doing nicely and will soon be completely recovered.

Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Shordan and Mrs. Peter Hartnett, of this city, were called to Ennis, Tex., yesterday by a telegram announcing the critical illness of Mrs. Joly, the mother of Mrs. Shordan and Mrs. Hartnett.

A. G. Essinger, of the Lehman clothing store, and his brother, Will Essinger, of the Brunswick bowling establishment, have resigned their positions and will leave next Tuesday for Los Angeles, Cal., to reside permanently. A number of their friends called on them Wednesday evening and presented Will a gold ring and his brother a pair of gold sleeve buttons.

BARLEY STORE SOLD.

Proprietor Trades His Establishment for Farm Lands.

A. C. Barley, formerly of Marion, and the proprietor of the Barley Bargain store, on East Berry street, in the Evans block, this city, has traded his establishment to A. R. Leavitt, of Michigantown, Ind., for farm lands in Indiana and Illinois. Mr. Leavitt expects to assume charge of his property at once and contemplates making a number of improvements in the place.

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WHEN TO GO HOME.

From the Bluffton, Ind., Banner: "When tired out, go home. When you want consolation, go home. When you want fun, go home. When you want to show others that you have reformed, go home and let your family get acquainted with the fact. When you want to show yourself at your best go home and do the act there. When you feel like being extra liberal go home and practice on your wife and children first. When you want to shine with extra brilliancy go home and light up the whole household." To which we would add, when you have a bad cold go home and take Chamberlain's Cough Remedy and a quick cure is certain. For sale by all druggists.

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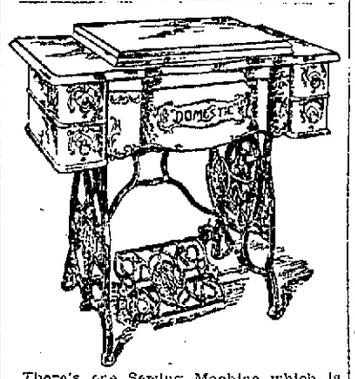

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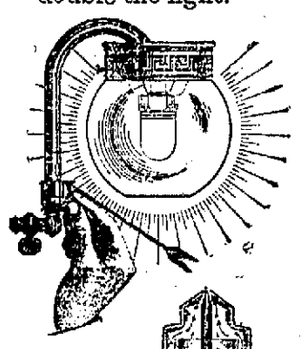

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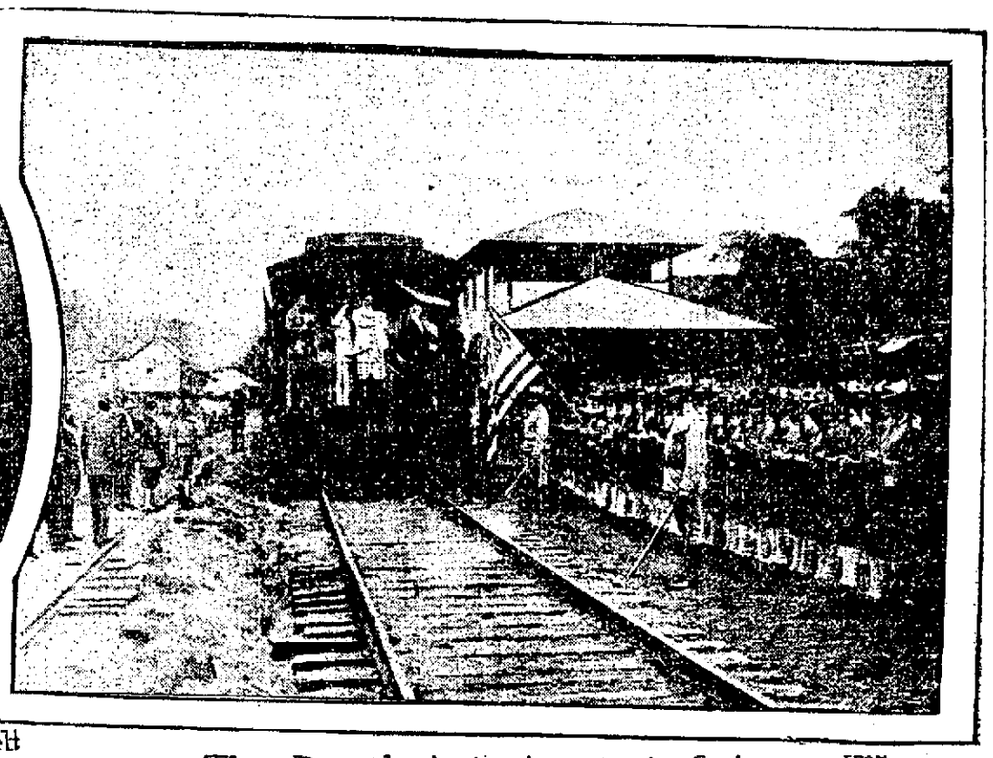
President Roosevelt on Steam Shovel at Pedro Miguel

President and Mrs. Roosevelt and Chief Engineer Stevens.



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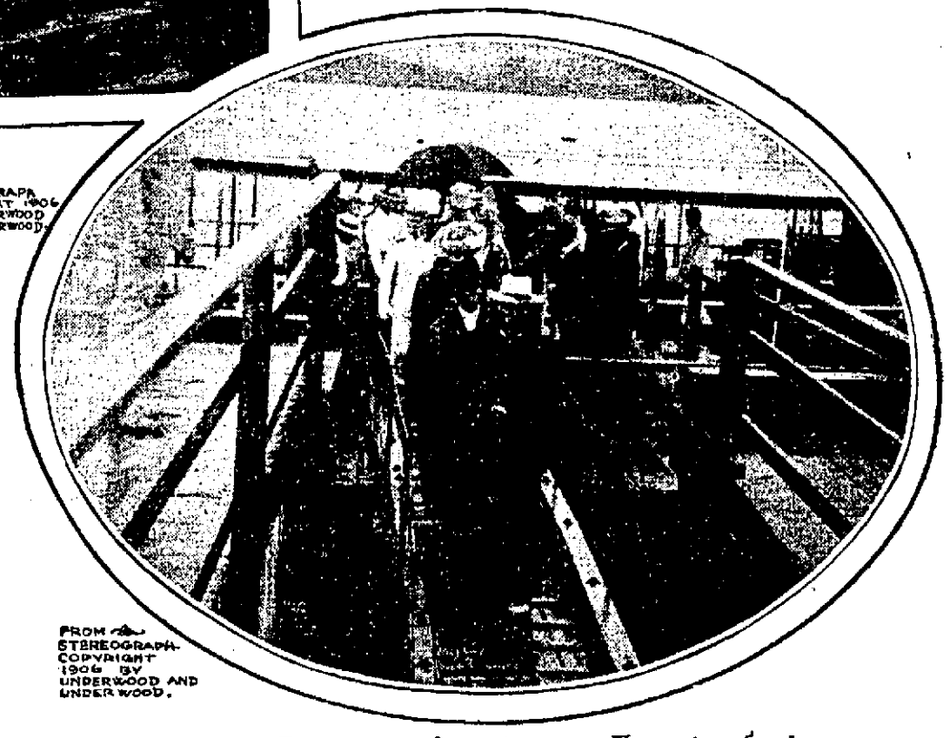

President Roosevelt Landing on Foreign Soil

FIGHTING MACHINES IN NEW FLEETS FOR SERVICE

Reorganization of Fleets is Announced by Navy Department.

Washington, Dec. 1.—The completed plans for the organization of the fighting vessels of the navy in two fleets for service on the Atlantic and Pacific coasts of the United States in such manner that the whole force may be readily mobilized in cases of emergency is announced by Rear Admiral Converse, chief of the bureau of navigation of the navy department, in his annual report made public today. The concentration of the battle fleet in the American waters and the assignment of all vessels therein to the command of one flag officer will be completed about January 1st next. The assignment of the ships of the battle line to Atlantic waters and of cruisers and gunboats to Pacific waters is in accordance with present strategic requirements. The tentative assignment of vessels is as follows:

Atlantic fleet, first squadron, first division: Connecticut, Louisiana, Maine, Missouri. Second division: Georgia, New Jersey, Rhode Island, Virginia. Second squadron, third division: Alabama, Illinois, Kearsarge, Kentucky. Fourth division: Ohio, Indiana, Iowa. Third squadron, fifth division: Tennessee, Washington, St. Louis. Sixth division: Columbia, Des Moines, Cleveland, Tacoma. Fourth squadron, seventh division: Dixie, Marietta, Newport, Don Juan De Austria. Eighth division: Prairie, Duhuque, Paducah, Scorpion.

The seventh and eighth divisions will be held in reserve.

In reserve: Texas, Brooklyn.

Admiral Converse then gives the names of vessels assigned to the Asiatic and Pacific fleets.

The bureau of navigation is making every endeavor to secure battleship strength of sixteen in the Atlantic fleet.

WILL HOLD TWO CONSISTORIES.

Pope to Officiate at Secret and Public Functions Dec. 6.

Rome, Dec. 1.—For the first time during the present pontificate the pope will hold both secret and public consistories the same day, December 6. He will confer the red hat on Monsignor Joseph Samassa, archbishop of St. Rigenia, Hungary, who was created cardinal in 1905, deliver an allocution and announce the appointment of eighty-four residential and titular bishops, including three Americans and four Canadians and New Foundlanders.

Russian Grand Duke, Close to Czar, Who is Said to Have Just Married a Princess of Montenegro.

THE GRAND DUKE NICHOLAS NIKOLAIEVICH.
FROM EUROPEAN EDITION OF THE N.Y. HERALD.

The Rise of Geraldine Farrar, America's Greatest Operatic Soprano

New York, Dec. 1. "You have a great future. I shall hear of you many times again."

Music lovers in New York already know that this prophecy, made by Emperor William of Germany, to Miss Geraldine Farrar, who is singing the leading part in Gounod's "Romeo et Juliette," at the Metropolitan opera house, has been fulfilled. Today the handsome prima donna was seen at the New Netherlands surrounded by magnificent floral offerings sent by friends and admirers, and talked of her success on the operatic stage.

Although practically a stranger here, having received her musical education abroad, Miss Farrar is proud of the fact that she is an American girl, and the daughter of "Sid" Farrar, formerly a crack first-baseman in the Philadelphia National league team. She expressed herself as being delighted with the enthusiastic welcome she received at her premiere appearance in her native country.

"I can hardly express my delight," she said. "Every one seemed to enjoy my singing so much that I feel as though I want to sing from morning till night. It is so much easier to sing here, too. The Metropolitan opera house is arranged so that I didn't have to use half my voice. I can sing there without any effort at all. It's so different from the Royal opera house in Berlin.

"There the building is filled with heavy draperies, and it's almost impossible to make one's self heard. Few singers make a success there, but here in the Metropolitan it's easy. I don't have to try a bit. The acoustic properties are perfect."

Her Real Sponsor.

Mrs. Farrar, the girl's mother, who is her constant companion, joined in telling of their happiness. She also took occasion to make known the identity of the person to whom she declares is due the credit for her daughter's success. Many have claimed this credit, Mrs. Farrar said, but the one who is really responsible is a Mrs. Bertram Webb, formerly of Salem, Mass., now residing in Paris. Mrs. Webb is the young singer's godmother.

Mrs. Webb always insists that her name must not be mentioned," said Mrs. Farrar, "but there are so many persons claiming the credit really due her that I think it only right to tell about it. Why, some of the persons who believe themselves responsible for my daughter's success we don't even know."

The story of Miss Farrar's life and her rise as a grand opera singer is interesting and reads like a fairy tale. Regarded now as the greatest American soprano, she has won fame throughout Europe, and her praises have been sung by kings and queens of many nations.

She was born in Melrose, Mass., about twenty-four years ago. Her father was known as the best first baseman in the country. A good thrower and quick on his feet, he was for many years considered the most valuable player on the Philadelphia team. Besides, he was one of the most popular players in the league.

Pet of Father's Friends.

"Jerry," as Miss Farrar was known, accompanied her father about the country on all his trips. She became the pet of all the players and was known throughout the league as "the kid." It was regretted by all the players that "the kid" was not a boy so that some time she might become a star on the diamond.

All day long she would entertain the players with her singing. They all predicted a great future for "Jerry" and urged her father to have the child's voice cultivated. Mrs. Farrar, also, was anxious to have her daughter take vocal lessons. The father, however, did not agree with them.

"I tell you, Sid," Mrs. Farrar said to her husband, "'Jerry' is cut out for an opera singer." To this the husband's only reply was: "What's the use? There's no money in it.'

Then Mrs. Farrar went to see an astrologer and he told her that her daughter was going abroad to study music and that she would eventually become a leading singer in grand opera.

Mrs. Farrar repeated this to her husband, but he only laughed at her. Then Mrs. Farrar, determined that the girl should have all the advantages possible, proceeded to have her voice trained. Almost immediately "Jerry" showed genius and her tutors predicted wonderful things for her.

When only twelve years old she played the part of a tambourine girl in a little opera called "Market Day," written by some local musicians of Melrose. The opera was produced for charity and little "Jerry" carried her audience by storm. Friends of her mother induced her to take the child to Boston, where Melba was singing at the time.

Melba Passes Judgment.

An acquaintance of Melba's told her of the little girl's wonderful voice and she expressed a desires to hear the child. "Jerry" was taken to the theater and after the performance Melba sat at the piano and told the child to sing. She sang a pathetic little song that she had learned at school.

When she had finished the great prima donna kissed her and said: "You are going to be America's Jenny Lind. You have a wonderful voice."

After this she was brought to New York, where she studied for several years. In 1899 her parents took her to Europe.

After studying in Paris for some time she went to Berlin, where she remained under the instruction of Graziani until February, 1902, when she made her debut at the gala court performance in the Royal opera house.

She sang half a dozen songs in German and Emepror William, who was in the audience sent for her and questioned her as to her life history. It was then that he made the prediction quoted above. The emporer also told the girl that her German was perfect.

Salary of $10,000.

She was engaged by the Royal opera house at a salary of $10,000 a year and given a contract for five years. Maurice Grau, who at that time controlled the Metropolitan opera house, tried to induce her to come to this country.

She remained in Berlin until this season, and her singing in German made her the most talked of opera singer in all Europe.

While on a visit to this country during the Spanish-American war she entertained President and Mrs. McKinley, the cabinet officials, and a party of friends by singing the "Star Spangled Banner." This was just after the news of Dewey's victory at Manila, and her redition of the national song made her famous throughout the country.

MONTANA COAL MINERS STRIKE.

Company Had Refused to Reinstate Discharged Union Man.

Livingston, Mont., Dec. 1.—Because the Montana Coal and Coke company refused to reinstate a miner who had been discharged some weeks ago, four hundred miners struck yesterday afternoon, tying up the mines and coking plants of the company at Aldridge and Horr. The decision to strike followed after the company had refused to further negotiate for reinstatement of the discharged miner. The shut down of the Montana company's mines will further aggravate the prevailing scarcity of coal in this state, many eastern towns in Montana being practically without any reserve coal.

NATHAN M. FLOWER DEAD.

New York, Dec. 1.—Nathan M. Flower, a member of the New York stock exchange and of the firm of Flower & Co., stock brokers, died today of pneumonia. Mr. Flower was a nephew of the late Roswell P. Flower.

Mrs. Thomas L. Staples is convalescent after a long and severe illness.

ANOTHER BLOODY RAID ON THE OFFENDING PULAJANES

Several Killed and Many Injured — Chief Pablo Will be Captured.

Manila, Dec. 1.—A force of constabulary under command of Major Murphy surprised the camp of Pablo, chief of the Pulajanes, on the island of Samar at daylight yesterday, November 30. Eleven of the Pulajanes were killed; the chief's son and nine of the band were wounded. Chief Pablo himself escaped, but his wife and daughter were captured. Clothing, arms and papers found were destroyed together with the camp. The capture of Chief Pablo is considered the question of only a few days. There is now only one other chief at large and plans have been arranged to capture or kill him. Governor Curdy, of Samar, wires that the breaking up of Chief Pablo's band signalizes the death knell of Pulajanism in the island.

The American residents of this city are indignant at the order sending the United States Asiatic squadron to Hong Kong for the holidays, as the merchants here wanted the sailors to remain in Manila for business. The English fleet has sailed for Singapore. While in Manila the entertainment of its officers and men was on a lavish scale.

RACING SESSION WILL BEGIN.

Los Angeles, Dec. 1.—A two weeks' postponement of the injunction suit brought to restrain the secretary of state from filing the official vote of the annexation election was granted yesterday by the superior court. The reason for the postponement was that Attorney General Webb was not ready to file a demurrer for the secretary of state. As the result the racing season, which opened on Thanksgiving day, will probably continue without attempt at interruption until Ascot park is legally declared a part of this city.

GERALDINE FARRAR. 'SID' FARRAR.

THEATRES

At The Majestic

Tonight.—"How Baxter Butted In."
Monday Evening, Dec. 3.—Tim Murphy, in "Old Innocence."
Wednesday, December 5, matinee and night—Jos. Jefferson, in "Rip Van Winkle."
Thursday, December 5.—"Sunday."
Friday and Saturday and Saturday matinee, December 7 and 8.—"Bertha, the Sewing Machine Girl."

"HOW BAXTER BUTTED IN" TONIGHT.

A most imposing and complete production of the newest play by that prolific and gifted young playwright, Mr. Owen Davis, and which he has given the rather unique title, "How Baxter Butted In," will be presented at the Majestic theater this evening by Vance and Sullivan company, with that rising young comedy star, Mr. Sidney Toler, as Billy Baxter, a character that is an absolutely new stage creation, being suggested to Mr. Davis through the world famous series of booklets known as "Billy Baxter's Letters." The part of Baxter is that of a typical, wide-awake, up-to-date travelling salesman, bright, witty, wholesouled and manly. Baxter, in the course of daily events happens to "butt in" to a small country town in staid old Vermont, just in time to prevent a pair of old sharpers from defrauding a young school mistress, the heroine of the piece, who is continually subject to the sarcasm and insults of the sharpers, as well as the villagers, who have been led to believe false reports concerning the school mistress. Baxter, however, with his usual tact and diplomacy, manages to eventually straighten matters out, checkmating the sharpers, and making everybody happy, including himself, which he does by making the school mistress his wife. The play is in four acts and possesses an impressive story, an absorbing plot, exciting situations, while the characters are thoroughly human types, and the dialogues brilliant throughout.

TIM MURPHY IN "OLD INNOCENCE."

Tim Murphy will be seen at the Majestic theater on Monday evening, December 3, in a revival of one of his greatest successes, "Old Innocence."

"Old Innocence" belongs to the type of plays that trembles between a smile and a sigh, and touches some of the tenderest chords of the human heart. It plays like a summer sunshine around the kindly things of life, and makes one laugh with—not at—the foibles and idiosyncracies of the dear unworldly ones who keep their faith to the end, untouched by the cynicism and the disillusion of existence. "Old Innocence" belongs to this type. He is an old man, credulous, kind, benevolent, whose hand is as open as the day to charity, whose tender heart never fails to answer the call of suffering, and who believes all the world as honorable and loyal as himself. He has retired from business because he cannot bear to see money wrung out of the toil and struggle and hardship of those less fortunate than himself, and he lives at modest ease with his beautiful young wife and daughter. Into his earthly paradise comes his brother, his direct antithesis, a loud, grasping, greedy, sordid man, who has turned his own son out of doors to shift for himself, and whose motto is the wise axiom promulgated by David Harum, "Do others as they would do you—and do them first." Under the working out of the rule the brother's son Ben has been forced into a life of penury, and drifts into debt, and to conceal it all, he adds lie upon lie, and deception upon deception, making his father believe him a prosperous lawyer, while in reality he is an almost starving bankrupt. "Old Innocence" is naturally a subject of derision and scorn to his sophisticated brother and by degrees the bitter philosophy of the one taints the sweet nature of the other, until a complete metamorphosis takes place. "Old Innocence" is old Innocence no longer. He comes to suspect his servants, to doubt his wife, but his knowledge is very bitter to him, and the joy of life is done. Then comes a crash of banks, and "Old Innocence's" fortune is gone, but those whom he has attached to him by kindness rally around him, and he knows at last that faith and love make the wisdom of the wise seem foolish and that gentleness and truth are worth more in life than the greed of gold and that happiness lies only in the contentment of an honest and trusting heart.

Mr. Tim Murphy in "Old Innocence," Majestic Theater Monday, Dec. 3rd.

JOS. JEFFERSON IN "RIP VAN WINKLE" WEDNESDAY, DEC. 5.

"Rip Van Winkle" has won the plaudits of American theater goers for over forty-five years with Joseph Jefferson, and now his son Thomas succeeds him as Rip. Joseph Jefferson gave seventy years of his life to the stage. For forty-five years of that time he has played that dear, attractive old vagabond, Rip Van Winkle, as his father before him played the part, and now his son Thomas, after having enacted Rip for over eight years, appears as Joseph Jefferson's successor in the role, being the third Jefferson to play the part. The character is inseparately associated with the name and fame of the Jeffersons, representing in an artistic way human love, gentleness, folly, sympathy and tenderness, so deliciously unfolded and delightfully presented, so laugh-winning and tear-compelling, so heart-entwining and soul-sweetening, that Rip is a stage creation entirely different from those of any other actor of the present day. Only a Jefferson would be accepted in the part. Rip Van Winkle is the cleanest and sweetest character that any novelist ever conceived. Rip's weaknesses are pardonable; his humor is wholesome, and the situations in which they are presented are simply comical without the possibility of a suggestion of wickedness. They indicate that Mr. Jefferson, out of the purity and splendor of his heart, determined years ago that most people in this world like a laugh that is born of genuine, healthful and unpurient fun, and that comedy heroes whose frailties and follies and vanities harmed nobody but themselves and made them legitimate sources of easy and graceful amusement, were the characters with which the clean and wholesome laugh could best be attained. Eight years of never failing success with genial, jolly Rip, justifies Thomas Jefferson's choice, and American theater goers have been all the happier for it. Thomas Jefferson is the most conspicuous Jeffersonian figure on the American stage today. He has been a successful actor for twenty-five years and is the eldest actor son of the much beloved Joseph Jefferson. He has won his way by playing to the hearts of his audiences. He touches the strings of tenderness, love, sympathy and joy and the thrill is felt by every auditor as by himself. No gentle side of life where the sunshine pours and the showers are tame and brief is that which he represents on the stage, and the tear he evokes is as welcome as the laugh and smile. Thomas Jefferson is now at his very best. He will be at the Majestic theatre Wednesday, December 5.

"SUNDAY," THURSDAY EVENING, DEC. 6.

A mingling of emotions possess the auditors of the sensational success, "Sunday," as the story of the play is disclosed. In this delightful play runs the full gamut of the human emotions, the exquisite love-story, the sparkling comedy and situations which prove almost tragic, all interwoven so skillfully that, after seeing this play, the reason becomes apparent of its wonderful success at the Hudson theater, New York city, where it served Miss Ethel Barrymore, who created the title role, for an uninterrupted run of 200 nights. The atmosphere of this remarkable play is consistently true, at one time living, as it were, in the wild west, breathing the air of "the undefiled open," the next transplanting the scene to dear old England on the estate of a titled Englishman moving in the select circles so dear to our romancers. A great meed of praise by the metropolitan press was extended to Messrs. Physioc & Groh, the celebrated New York scenic artists who, in their fidelity to art for art's sake, made respective trips to Silver Creek and England to take actual drawings from the originals.

"Sunday" is no complex character, neither are the other characters of this delightful domestic drama, just simply living human beings with hearts to feel and brains to suffer. With wonderful fidelity has Thomas Raceward drawn the characters of "the four great husky miners." Westerners, in every move, every lineament, every gesture; rough to the exterior, but with hearts as true as gold that ring with love for the orphan Sunday entrusted to their care.

The drawing of the two brothers, the one the direct antithesis to the other, so remarkably true, as so often occurs in real life. "The Nun," moving in her peaceful, restful way, God's mercy to perform, and then Sunday, whose very first introduction to the auditors starts the heart aquiver, beloved by the women and adored by the men, learning woman's load to bear. As Shakespeare said, "The play's the thing," and true as this adage holds, a most potent factor is the cast of actors that interpret the characters of the play. The superb company comprises these names to conjure with, all metropolitan actors of note and wide reputation: Miss Nora O'Brien, Miss Eva Mountford, Miss Effie Germon, Frank Gheen, Joseph E. Whiting, Elmer Grandin, H. Ogden Crane, Frank Kendrick and others.

The original production that was utilized by Miss Barrymore in the 200 nights' run at the Hudson theater, New York city, is used in its entirety.

"THE SEWING MACHINE GIRL."

Another A. H. Woods attraction will hold the boards at the Majestic next Friday and Saturday, and Saturday matinee, Dec. 7 and 8, when "Bertha, the Sewing Machine Girl," is seen there. This play is described as a sensational melodrama with unusually elaborate scenic setting, and will be presented by a thoroughly capable company of powerful players. The plot of "Bertha, the Sewing Machine Girl," laid in New York city, is based upon the struggles of a beautiful young toiler to fight the battle of life for herself and her blind sister, amid the dangers and temptations of a great city. Bertha is employed in that cruel product of an infamous system, a "sweat shop," and is endeavoring to earn enough money to pay for an operation on her little sister's eyes by a famous specialist. A wealthy scoundrel, whose ill gotten wealth belongs by rights to the two sisters, sets in motion various fiendish plots to destroy the two girls, being aided in his schemes by the villainous proprietor of the shop; by an adventuress and by a "thug" named "Slinky Bill." A young fireman, a good hearted German landlady and a "dudish" young Englishman figure as the friends and protectors of the sisters. "Bertha, the Sewing Machine Girl," is rich in exciting episodes and thrilling situations. The action is rapid and of the sort that holds the attention of the auditor continuously. The play abounds in heart interest and teems with local color. There are four acts, which are divided into twelve scenes, among which the following are the most pretentious. The Grand Central station, the cave in Central park, the tenement district, the mysterious Egyptian chamber and the hug of death, the motor boat chase on the Hudson river, in the engine house of company No. 12, the burning tenement house, and thrilling rescue with the life net, the bertillion room in the Tombs prison, and the main room in the criminal courts building. "Bertha, the Sewing Machine Girl," is said to appeal to all sorts and conditions of people, of all ages and both sexes. Its characters are humble wage-earners, whose lives are passed amid homely surroundings, but their hearts beat, and if they are somewhat impulsive at times they are always human. There is considerable comedy and songs and specialties are introduced at intervals.

"Bertha, the Sewing Machine Girl," Friday and Saturday, Dec. 7th and 8th.

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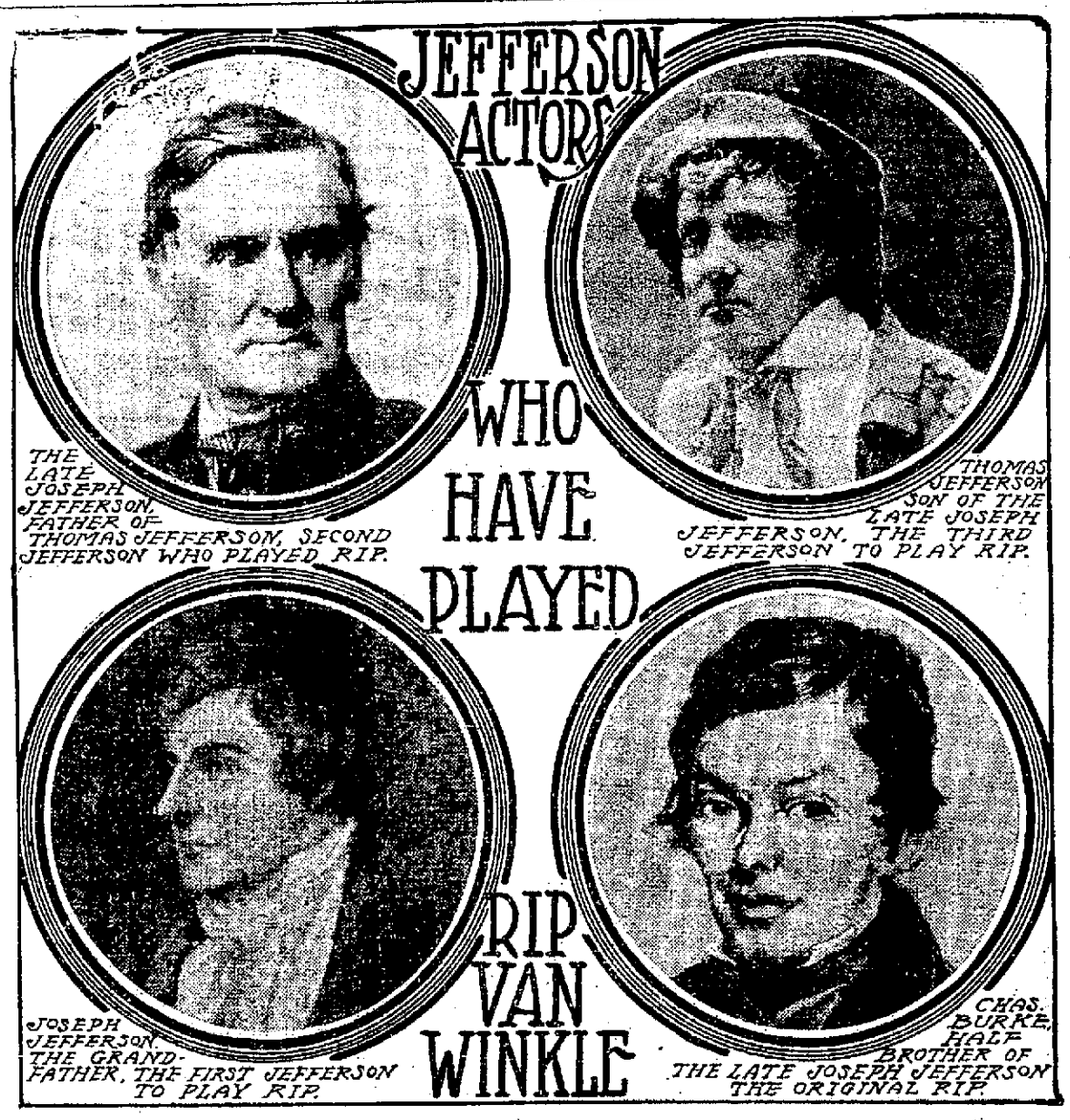
JEFFERSON ACTORS
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RIP VAN WINKLE
THE LATE JOSEPH JEFFERSON, FATHER OF THOMAS JEFFERSON, SECOND JEFFERSON WHO PLAYED RIP.
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JOSEPH JEFFERSON THE GRANDFATHER, THE FIRST JEFFERSON TO PLAY RIP.
CHAS. BURKE, HALF BROTHER OF THE LATE JOSEPH JEFFERSON THE ORIGINAL RIP.

Percy Macaye's New Play

New York, Dec. 1.—Percy Mackaye's new poetic drama, "Jeanne d'Arc," last week received the double distinction of a production on the stage at the hands of E. H. Sothern and Julia Marlowe, simultaneously with its publication by the Macmillan company. It would be hard to match this event in the life of a poet who is still only on the threshold of his career. Mr. Mackaye may now be said to hold the unique position in this country as poet and dramatist which has for some years belonged to Mr. Stephen Phillips in England.

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Foley's Honey and Tar has cured many cases of asthma that were considered hopeless. Mrs. Adolph Buesing, 701 West Third street, Davenport, Iowa, writes: "A severe cold contracted twelve years ago was neglected until it finally grew into asthma. The best medical skill available could not give me more than temporary relief. Foley's Honey and Tar was recommended and one fifty cent bottle entirely cured me of asthma which had been growing on me for twelve years. If I had taken it at the start I would have been saved years of suffering." Dreier & Bro.

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Scene From the Sensational Success, "Sunday," Thursday, Dec. 6

TEMPLE THEATER

Some especially good acts are promised at the Temple next week with the new bill, which opens Monday afternoon.

The great Westin, eminent character impersonator of great men, past and present, is the top liner. Westin is assisted by his wife and his act is said to be one of the real novelties of vaudeville.

John A. West, the "musical brownie," who was at Robison park during the summer, will also be on the bill. His act was one of the big hits of the season.

Russell and Held are singers and dancers and Humes and Lewis will do a comedy acrobatic stunt well worth while. The Gonzales brothers from sunny Mexico, will do a high class singing act that is sure to be a feature.

Bertha Clay Meyer is scheduled to sing "Alice, Where Art Thou Going?" and "Where is My Boy Tonight?"

The kinetoscope, the greatest of life motion picture machines, will unroll several new films, "Sidney, the Clown with Stilts," "The Enchanted Sedan Chair" and "Those Terrible Kids." Everybody goes to the Temple and next week will be no exception.

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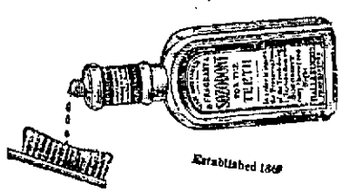
Miss Dorothy Sherrod with Tim Murphy in "Old Innocence," Majestic theater, Monday, December 3.



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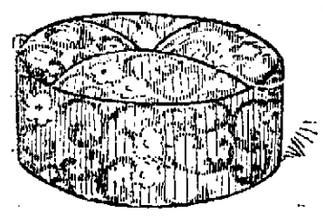

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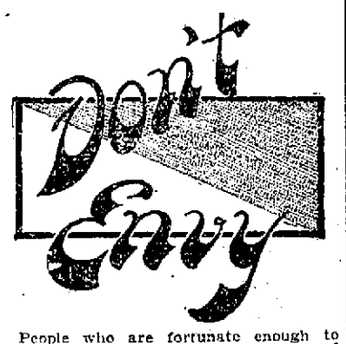

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Garlands Win Two and Break Losing Streak—Other Games.

STANDING OF THE CLUBS.

—League No. 1.—

Clubs.	Won.	Lost.	Pct.
Pioneers	20	4	.833
Nationals	18	6	.750
Monarchs	15	6	.714
Bottom Five	15	9	.625
Athletics	13	11	.542
Del Rins	11	13	.458
Goslee's 999's	9	12	.429
Hibernians	8	16	.333
Waynes	6	18	.288
Garlands	2	22	.067

—League No. 2.—

Clubs.	Won.	Lost.	Pct.
St. Joe Athletics	21	3	.875
Magnolias	18	6	.750
Wabash	18	6	.750
Columbias	16	8	.667
Knights of Columbus	10	11	.476
Outing No. 23	11	13	.458
Centrals	10	14	.417
Nodaways	7	17	.292
W. & D. Regulars	5	16	.238
Packers	1	24	.025

—League No. 3.—

Clubs.	Won.	Lost.	Pct.
Centlivre Specials	23	1	.958
Olympics	18	6	.750
Caledonians	16	8	.667
Crescents	14	10	.583
Pennsylvanias	11	13	.458
Battery B	10	14	.417
Ponys	8	16	.381
Home Telephone	7	14	.333
Imperials	5	19	.208
Carpenters	5	19	.208

FRED KAUFMAN,

A Left-Hander Who Made a High Average Last Night.

GAMES SCHEDULED TONIGHT.

Monarchs and Goslee's 999's.
Knights of Columbus and Wolf & Dessauer Regulars.
Ponys and Home Telephone.

Garlands, 2; Waynes, 1.

The Waynes profited last night by the new rule which permits a team to bowl without a full team and to count if it wins, when the hotel men with three players lined up, went out in the third and beat the Garlands eighteen pins. Tonkle went to 204 in the third and Gehring barely reached the double century mark in the second while Tuttle piled up 195 for his high average. The scores follow:

—Garlands.—

Players.	1st.	2d.	3d.	Tot.	Ave.
Schiefer	154	116	108	378	126
Hutzell	129	141	116	386	129
Haag	143	141	100	384	128
Ash	138	134	145	417	139
Nierman	113	80	85	278	93
Totals	677	612	554	1843	614

—Waynes.—

Players.	1st.	2d.	3d.	Tot.	Ave.
Tonkle	148	179	204	531	177
Tuttle	120	195	181	496	165
Gehring	180	200	187	567	189
Totals	448	574	572	1594	531

St. Joe Athletics, 3; Packers, 0.

The St. Joe Athletics closed the week by taking three straight from the Packers and clinching first place. Sosenheimer made high score and average. The scores:

—St. Joe Athletics.—

Players.	1st.	2d.	3d.	Tot.	Ave.
Klett	173	164	145	482	161
F. Stahl	136	178	147	461	154
Sosenheimer	151	194	179	524	175
Summers	137	163	135	435	145
Shelley	171	191	158	520	173
Totals	768	890	764	2422	807

—Packers.—

Players.	1st.	2d.	3d.	Tot.	Ave.
Brase	120	109	131	370	123
Law	176	115	154	445	148
Rhinehart	104	161	135	400	133
Deitrich	152	138	157	448	149
Beard	126	138	150	424	141
Totals	699	661	727	2087	696

Olympics, 3; Battery B, 0.

Battery B got another push down the percentage column last night when the Olympics trimmed the soldiers for three straight. Blank beat 200 in the first game and had the best average. The scores:

—Battery B.—

Players.	1st.	2d.	3d.	Tot.	Ave.
Schnorr	145	146	146	437	146
Brattain	154	92	90	336	112
Lewis	115	106	158	379	126
Sturm	154	138	142	434	145
E. Ayers	108	107	136	351	117
Totals	676	589	672	1937	646

—Olympics.—

Players.	1st.	2d.	3d.	Tot.	Ave.
Blank	204	144	134	482	161
J. Alt	102	...	133	235	117
McElfatrick	141	143	166	450	150
N. Alt	138	102	122	362	121
Beckman	102	147	...	249	135
Merkler	...	126	145	270	135
Totals	687	661	701	2049	683

BOWLERS MAKE BIG SCORES.

Corner Rod and Gun Club Rolls Three Fast Games.

The Corner Rod and Gun club rolled three fast games at the Empire alleys last night and took the series from the Randalls hands down. Sanders made one of the best scores of the season with 254 and quit the series with an average of 215. Fred Kaufman was next with 223 for high and an average of 211 1-3 for the three games. The scores:

—Corner Rod and Gun Club.—

Players.	1st.	2d.	3d.	Tot.	Ave.
Farman	182	133	189	504	168
Reynolds	196	138	191	525	175
Kaufman	195	223	216	634	211
Hills	102	182	180	564	188
Sanders	254	186	203	645	215
Totals	1019	864	979	2862	954

—Randalls.—

Players.	1st.	2d.	3d.	Tot.	Ave.
Robbins	177	134	166	477	159
Brayer	136	136	150	422	144
Cook	154	113	132	399	133
Carr	109	153	122	384	128
Schneiker	182	161	172	515	172
Totals	758	697	742	2197	732

RUCHEL WINS AWARD.

Will Ruchel, captain of the Magnolias of Brunswick League No. 2, was high man for the month of November and last night was awarded a silver loving cup for his score of 263. G. C. Gushing, of the Centlivre Specials was second with 257 and also got a loving cup. T. C. Frosh, of the same team, won a box of cigars with 247, and J. C. Collins and Fred Vollmer hooked up for fourth and fifth with 244.

WRESTLERS ARE MATCHED.

Articles for a wrestling match between Sam Murbarger, matchmaker for the St. Joe Athletic club, and Alex Swanson, the Swede, were signed yesterday afternoon and the affair will be pulled off some time between December 12 and 20 before the club offering the largest purse. The local man started his training today and will have to take off thirty pounds before he will be in condition to go on.

BOSTON AFTER RAILING.

If arrangements can be completed with the Houston club of the Texas league, Tom Railing, of Decatur, will be given a chance with the Boston Americans this spring. His performances have attracted attention but he has little apparent ambition and so far has shown that he had as soon pitch in the bush as in higher company.

CITY BREVITIES.

O. E. Scott, of Sherwood, O., is in the city on a business trip.

C. M. Gandy, the attorney, is in Kendallville on a business trip.

Carl Simon, of this city, has returned from a visit with friends in Lima, O.

Steven Allegier, a postal clerk here, has gone to Chicago to visit friends for a short time.

Walter Hunt, of this city, will spend tomorrow in Huntington, the guest of Miss Cleo Balls.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Haag, of Cleveland, who have been visiting relatives here, have returned to their home.

The members of the E'Galante dancing club will hold a dance in the Tanner dancing academy next Monday evening.

R. K. Fleming and daughter, Josephine, who have been visiting friends here, have returned to their home at Decatur, Ind.

Homer Shoup, who is attending the medical school at Indianapolis, comes tomorrow to visit friends here for a short time.

W. G. Lott and Louis Ohnhaus, of this city, will leave next week for New York city, where they will attend the automobile show.

The Ladies' society of the S. U. N. A. will hold its social tea Tuesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Sunley, 605 Holman street.

The first annual ball of A. G. Porter lodge, No. 141, B. of L. F. and E., will be held in Saengerbund hall on the evening of Friday, January 25.

The Gideons will hold their usual services in room 11, Arcade, Sunday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock, and all traveling men are especially invited.

Mrs. Christ. Pranger, of South Hanna street, who has been confined to her bed for the past eight weeks, remains in a very serious condition.

Merle Ivins, who has been spending the Thanksgiving vacation with relatives here, leaves tomorrow for Indianapolis, where he will resume his studies in the medical school.

The ladies of Westminster church will hold their annual sale and supper in the church parlors next Friday. In the afternoon they will have on sale home baking and fancy articles, and a turkey supper will be served from 5 to 7:30 o'clock.

A Christmas tree and a treat will be given the Sunday school at the Fort Wayne Rescue Home and Mission, 118 East Columbia street, and financial aid in this direction will be appreciated. Contributions may be paid to Mrs. J. A. Quince, superintendent of the Sunday school, or to George I. Cooper, superintendent of the mission.

CLEARING HOUSE REPORT.

The report of Manager Kuhne, of the Fort Wayne Clearing house, shows clearings for the week aggregating $670,850.73 as against $746,651.32 for last week with balances of $176,642.14. By days this week the clearings were:

Monday	$119,110.64
Tuesday	$132,781.93
Wednesday	131,570.72
Thursday	Holiday.
Friday	148,585.61
Saturday	138,801.83

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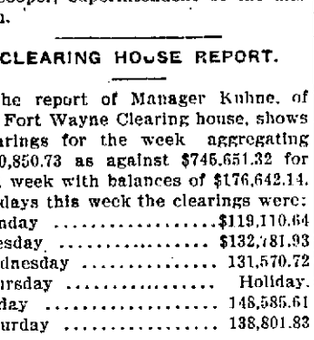
Mr. and Mrs. Tobias Miller, of Lafontaine, Ind., are in the city visiting Mrs. Minnie Stults, of 1319 Wells street.

DRY TOWN.



Traveling Salesman—I say, pard, can't one get a drink in this town?

Oldest Inhabitant—Gosh! no. Since these magazines have exposed patent medicines one can't even get soothing syrup.

MAN AND WOMAN GET A WARMING FROM THE CITY JUDGE

William Fisher and Dora Bidlack Fined and Sent to the County Jail.

At the end of a long drawn out trial that was opened in the city court yesterday morning Judge Skelton at noon today sentenced William Fisher to pay a fine of $5 and costs and spend ninety days in the county jail and handed the woman, Dora Bidlack, the same fine with fifteen days attached.

The woman announced when she was arrested a few days ago that she would go through a certain realm noted for its torridity for Fisher and would marry him in spite of the fact that he had a wife living. She evidently intended to make good as she was rather blythesome about the whole affair and has laughed and flirted all through the trial and she smiled when she was convicted. Fisher, however, did not relish spending four months in jail.

Mrs. Fisher was the complaining witness in the case and she charged a specific act of immorality for which they were jointly tried. Notice of appeal was given and bonds fixed at $200 each.

Saloonkeepers Line Up.

When the cases against William Wiebke, William Malle, Dan Clemens, and Ed Schele were called this morning the defendants announced they were not ready to plead and were given until 2 o'clock this afternoon to consult with the local retail liquor dealers' association. It is probable a fight will be made. Jack Loraine was in court and paid his fine of $10 and costs.

George Overhulzer, charged with assault and battery, was fined $10 and costs and paid. He broke the jaw of a customer who did not settle his bill.

Joseph Boldercan paid a fine of $10 and costs for assaulting his wife yesterday afternoon in the rolling mill district. She kept a boarding house and because she would not turn the money over to her husband she got a beating. He gave his wife all the money he had and promised to let her be the financier of the institution.

MISSIONARY SOCIETY TO MEET.

Women of Trinity M. E. Church to Have Annual Meeting.

Tomorrow evening at 7:30 o'clock the annual meeting of the Trinity M. E. church Women's Foreign Missionary society will be held and the following program has been prepared for the event:

Piano Prelude ..... Miss Racine
Hymn ..... Congregation
"From Greenland's Icy Mountains."
Scripture Reading .....
Prayer ..... Mrs. Easley
Announcements .....
Offertory ..... Miss Racine
Church Collection .....
Missionary Dialogue .....
..... King's Herald Girls
Duet .....
.....Mr. and Mrs. Hugh M. Beaver
Recitation ..... Miss Mary Gordon
Lecture ..... Rev. Semans
Subject: "Around the World in Sixty Minutes."
Offertory ..... Miss Grace Chase
Collection for the Society .....
Doxology ..... Congregation
Benediction ..... Rev. Semans

KIND WORDS FOR FOREST PARK.

"If I were to buy a lot anywhere in Fort Wayne," said a prominent business man today, "and was asked to choose outside of the high-priced downtown district, I know I should select a spot in Forest Park. It has so many more advantages than other sections of the city as to leave no ground for comparison. It seems to me that if people only understood more fully its great superiority, Forest Park would be enjoying an even greater success than it is, and I am told that the sale of lots has outclassed all other additions ever made to the city of Fort Wayne."

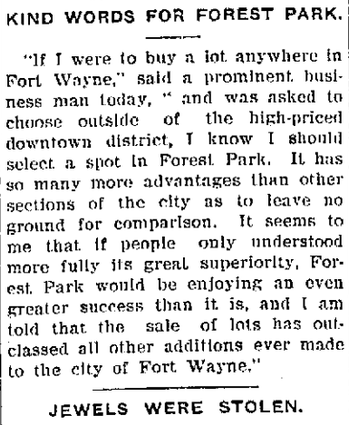
JEWELS WERE STOLEN.

Pittsburg, Dec. 1.—Jewels valued at $5,000 which had been placed in a dresser drawer by Mrs. Jacob Siesel, wife of a wholesale liquor dealer, were stolen from her rooms in the Beechwood Inn.

TO PLAN NEW CATHEDRAL.

Washington, Dec. 1.—G. F. Bodley, of London, and Henry Vaughn, of Boston, both architects, have arrived here at the invitation of Bishop Satterlee to arrange the plans for the new cathedral which is to be erected in this city. Mr. Bodley says that the old English gothic design will be adoped and that the cathedral will be one of the finest in the world. The edifice will cost more than $2,000,000.

FEMININE AMENITIES.



Miranda—You have not yet met my intended husband, have you, dear?

Myrtilla—No, dear. Have you?

PRISONER QUEEZES IS FOOT INTO NUMBER TWELVE SHOE

Commissioners Supply Man With Largest to Be Had and Tell Him to Hike.

Sheriff Grice appeared in the commissioners' court this morning with a request for authority to purchase enough clothing for John Aldridge to keep him from freezing until after he gets outside of Allen county and at the same time announced that the man could barely squeeze his feet into a pair of number twelve shoes that he found for him in a second hand store.

He tried all of the local dealers, but could not find anything in the line of foot gear generous enough in proportions to accommodate Aldrich's feet and then he made a round of the second hand stores and found the twelves, which were made to answer the purpose.

Aldridge was arrested Sept. 29 at Monroeville after he had expressed a determination to wipe out the population of the town and threatened to extend his operations to the surrounding districts. Some forty people coralled him and turned him over to the sheriff and he was held on a surety of the peace warrant until insanity proceedings could be instituted. He was declared of sound mind and then came the question of getting rid of him, as he has never been a resident of the county.

The commissioners consented to pay for the shoes, some underclothing and a pair of overalls with the understanding that Aldridge should hike and not be a burden longer on the county treasury.

PROGRAM FOR THE PREACHERS.

Topics to Be Presented in Ministerial Association Meetings.

The executive committee of the Ministerial association has arranged the following program to be discussed by the ministers during the winter and spring, and topics have been assigned as follows:

Dec. 3—"The Plan of a Sermon," Rev. J. W. Campbell.

Dec. 17—"The Physical Preparation for Preaching," Rev. J. F. Vichert.

Dec. 31.—Devotional meeting, led by the president, Rev. Dr. A. K. Zartman.

Jan. 14—"The Preacher in Daily Life," Rev. J. M. Canse.

Jan. 28—"The Boys and the Church," Rev. W. H. Wilson.

Feb. 11—"Topical and Expository Preaching; Their Relative Value," Rev. C. A. Rowand.

Feb. 25—"The Evangelistic Pastor," Rev. F. M. Fox.

March 11—"The Preacher's Wife," Rev. E. W. Averill.

April 6—"The Pastor's Relation to the Holy Spirit," Rev. W. H. Schrock.

April 22—"The Power of the Vision," Rev. H. S. Nickerson.

May 6—"What Constitutes a Pastoral Call?" Rev. M. F. Rickoff.

May 20—"Elements of Successful Preaching," Rev. M. E. Nethercut.

June 5—"A Sermon by Rev. H. C. Ingersoll.

June 17—"Our Responsibility Arising From the Power of Intercession," Rev. A. E. Street.

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Nervous energy is generated and stored in the brain and spinal cord and from these centers is distributed to all parts of the body as needed. The amount each organ receives depends upon the work it has to do. When the supply is scanty, organic action is slow and sickness of some character is the result. This in brief explains the importance of the nervous system.

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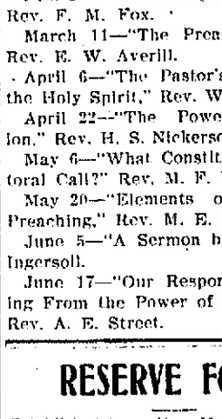

Mrs. William H. Kingsley South Bend, Ind.

"I cannot speak too highly of Wheeler's Nerve Vitalizer after what it has done for my wife. She could not sleep; her stomach had a disagreeable feeling like a hard mass which seemed to produce a choking sensation; her hands and arms had a prickly and numb feeling by spells; her feet would swell and pain her like rheumatism; she was tortured every night in this manner until she was completely worn out. By accident we heard of Wheeler's Nerve Vitalizer. The action of that medicine was remarkable. The first dose was worth the price of the entire bottle, for it gave her a perfect night's rest, the first in a long time. She continued to grow better until a few bottles cured her. I consider Wheeler's Nerve Vitalizer worth its weight in gold." William H. Kingsley, South Bend, Ind.

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ELKS WILL HOLD ANNUAL LODGE OF SORROW ON SUNDAY

Memorial Service at Majestic Theater Tomorrow Afternoon.

In tribute to the memory of its departed brethren, Fort Wayne lodge No. 155, B. P. O. Elks, will hold the annual lodge of sorrow at the Majestic theater Sunday afternoon, the ceremonies beginning at 2 o'clock. Walter L. Penfield, of Auburn, will deliver the general eulogy, and G. Will Wilson, of this city, will pronounce the eulogy on the brethren who have died during the past year. The program for the lodge of sorrow is as follows:

"Dellcia" ..... Henry Frantzen
Orchestra—Direction of Bro. F. J. Reineke.
"Nearer, My God, to Thee" .....
..... Noble H. Hardee
Mrs. S. C. Moffat.
Miss Jessamine Bailey, Accompanist.
Opening ceremonies .....
.....Exalted Ruler H. A. Wiebke
"O, Dry Those Tears"...Treasdale Riego
Bro. Maurice Niezer.
Miss Marguerite Niezer, Accompanist.
Responses ..... Officers of Lodge
Opening Ode .... Air, "Auld Lang Syne"
Great ruler of the Universe,
All seeing and benign,
Look down upon and bless our work
And be all glory Thine.
Oh, hear our prayers for the honored dead,
While bearing in our minds
The memories graven on each heart
For Auld Lang Syne.
Invocation ..... Rev. Frank M. Fox
"From the Depths" ..... Campani
Miss Helen Gill.
Mrs. F. V. Culbertson, Accompanist.
General Eulogy .... Bro. Walter Penfield
"Lead, Kindly Light"...Frank N. Sheppard
Mrs. S. C. Moffat.
Miss Bailey, Accompanist.
"Devotion" ..... Theo. Ward
Orchestra—Direction of Bro. F. J. Reineke.
"Shall I Be Forgotten?" .....
..... Herbert Johnson
Bro. Maurice Niezer.
Miss Niezer, Accompanist.
Eulogy on Departed Brethren .....
..... Bro. G. Will Wilson
"For God Shall Wipe Away All Tears" .....
..... Davis
Miss Helen Gill.
Mrs. F. V. Culbertson, Accompanist.
"Amo Melodie" ..... Alfred G. Robyn
Orchestra—Direction of Bro. F. J. Reineke.
Closing Ceremonies .....
.....Exalted Ruler and Lodge
Doxology ..... Audience
Praise God from whom all blessings flow,
Praise Him, all creatures here below,
Praise Him, above, for all that's good,
Praise God for our true Brotherhood.
Benediction ..... Rev. Frank M. Fox

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REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.

(Transfers of Real Estate Compiled by John C. Heller, Abstracter, 725 Court St.)

—City.—

Philip J. Sweeney to Albert and Nora Thompson for $1400, e½ of lot 66, Brandriffe and Ayres' add.

George W. Steinacker to Hamilton H. and Ida B. Shelly for $3600, lot 16, Sturgis' 2d add.

Henry W. Driftmeyer to William and W. Heine for $2200, w½ of lot 5, White's 1st add.

Frank and A. Gebert to Charles L. Roudebush, lot 79, Industrial Park add.

Elliott G. and M. P. Shultzeto John M. Hayes for $500, lot 471, Hamilton's 4th add.

Elliott G. and M. P. Shulze to E. H. and E. Tolley for $500, w½ nw pt lot 471, Hamilton's 4th add.

Horace N. Herrick to James E. and Lizzie L. Crane for $2000, lot 9, Siemons to Mich. add.

Mary Louisa Schafer to Louis C. Zollinger, lots 23, 24 and 25, White's 4th add; lot McCulloch's add and sec for $6400.

C. Schafer et al to Louis C. Zollinger, sec 1, lots 23, 24 and 25, White's 4th add; lot 2, McCulloch's add, for $2.

William G. Schafer et al to Louis C. Zollinger, lots 23, 24 and 25, White's 4th add; lot 2, McCulloch's add, for $2.

—Country.—

Johanna M. Leeders to Dr. E. Moser, n½ of lot 40, for $1475, Knoblauch's add, Shirley City tp.

Charles A. and H. B. Taylor to Philip J. Veil, w½ of s½ of nw¼ of sec 6, Monroe tp.

United States of America to Hannah P. Feagler, nw¼ of sec 36, Monroe tp.

William S. and Mary Rogers to Pearl Bowers, lots 3 and 4, Null and Rogers add for $700, New Haven tp.

H. P. and F. E. Scherer to Charles and W. A. Greener, lots 4 and 5, Branning's add for $600, Wayne tp.

Edwin and A. A. Lueos to Solomon and A. B. Mier and Isaac Rose, sec 6, for $12,400, Lake tp.

Jacob Grant to Joseph Grant, sec 36, Jefferson tp.

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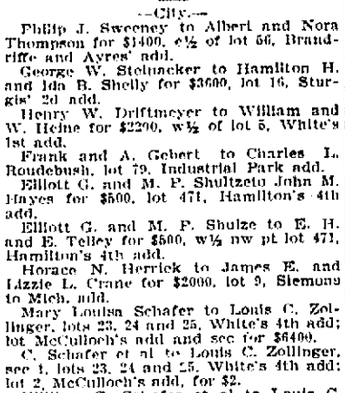
Mary M. Geddes, widow, to Allie Clapp, sec 5, Jackson tp.

Henry Hild to Burton S. Haswell for $1200, sec 14, Haswell's sub div, Wayne tp.

Hamilton H. Shelly to George W. and Catherine Steinacker, sec 28, Perry tp.

If you want to buy or sell city or suburban property, call on Louis F. Curdes, rooms 3 and 4 Pixley-Long block. oct 16 tf

SAME THING.



Mr. Conn—Yes, we are in the city now. We live in a flat.

Connolly—Is that so? Well, I heard you were in a tight place.

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Ar. 9:30 a. m.	Findlay	Lv. 4:15 p. m.
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GOING SOUTH	Daily	Ex. Sun.	Ex. Sun.	Sun. Only
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ArPortland	3 20AM	8 15AM	2 13PM	8 45PM
ArRichmond	4 45AM	9 42AM	3 40PM	10 15PM
ArCincinnati	6 55AM	12 10PM	5 55PM	

1.55am train sleeper to Cincinnati, 12.30 noon train Parlor car. Trains arrive from south 2.00am and 8.40am daily 4.00pm, except Sunday.

GOING NORTH	Daily	Daily to G. R.	Ex. Sun.	Ex. Sun.
LvFort Wayne	2 10AM	8 50AM	1 00PM	4 20PM
ArRome City	3 19AM	10 08AM	2 14PM	5 40PM
ArGrand Rapids	6 45AM	2 00PM	5 55PM	9 40PM
ArTraverse City	1 25PM	7 55PM		
ArPetoskey	3 00PM	9 30PM		5 55AM
Mackinaw City	4 25PM	10 55PM		7 20AM

10 am sleeping car to Mackinaw City. 8.50 am train Parlor Car to G. R. and Mack. 4.20 pm train Parlor car to G. R. and sleeping car to Mack. Cy. Trains arrive from north 1.45am 6.45pm, daily. 12.01pm 10.40 pm, ex. Sun.

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Trains Leave Interurban Station	
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9:00 A. M.	6:00 P. M.
10:30 A. M.	7:30 P. M.
12:00 N.	9:00 P. M.
1:30 P. M.	11:00 P. M.

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Arrives from Indianapolis at 12:00 noon.

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Arrive 6:55 a. m.	Leave 7:00 a. m.
Arrive 8:50 a. m.	Leave 9:00 a. m.
Arrive 10:50 a. m.	Leave 11:00 a. m.
Arrive 12:50 p. m.	Leave 1:00 p. m.
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Arrive 4:50 p. m.	Leave 5:00 p. m.
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NEWS AND VIEWS OF FARMERS

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GIVE HOGS GOOD AIR.

Ventilation, an Important Feature of Winter Houses, Too Often Neglected.

(S. C. Miller.)

Too many men who keep hogs pay no attention to the ventilation of their winter quarters, or if they attempt to ventilate at all, they do little more than leave a few cracks around the bottom through which the cold air can get in, but provide no way for it to get out.

Experience has shown that drafts are the prime promotors of colds, which develop into pneumonia, and what is generally known as swine fever.

It is important that the bottom boards of the hog house should be thoroughly well battened and the divisions between the pens should be treated in the same way.

Ample ventilation should be provided from the top of the house and not by underneath drafts. Who has not seen hogs piled upon each other in cold weather, shivering, fighting to get into a warm place? Under such conditions, it is impossible for a hog to put on flesh, and there are nine chances to ten that he will take cold, which may develop into serious lung trouble.

No less important than proper ventilation is drainage. A floor that will be absolutely impervious to dampness can be made of four parts gravel to one of cement, making a floor of one and a half inch thickness and topping off with half an inch of sand and cement in the proportions of two parts sand to one of cement.

This will give a two-inch floor, perfectly smooth and easy to sweep and clean. It should have a pretty sharp fall, at least one-half inch per foot from one end to the other, in order that the liquid manure can be drained into a proper receptacle for distribution to various parts of the farm.

The floors of hog houses should be thoroughly cleaned every day. The bedding should be kept dry, even if it has to be spread out in another part of the building and replaced every evening. Hogs will not thrive in damp, dirty, draughty quarters, and the man who attempts to raise them for market under these conditions is simply working against himself. He not only loses the greater portion of his feed, but his time and labor as well.

Overhead ventilation is easily secured by leaving an open space of say six inches between the top of the outside wall and the roof. An English farmer, who has had great success with hogs, builds his houses with a section of the wall hung on a swivel pin in the middle, which can be flung open whenever sunlight and air is needed. When the section is released, it swings back into an upright position by gravitation.

In order to let the rays of the sun into every part of the building, the houses have been laid out north and south, so that by opening the wall shutters on the east side, the morning sun is let in, and by opening those on the west side, the rays of the afternoon sun can penetrate to every part of the house, keeping it sweet and clean.

Damp quarters in the fall are none the best. They are the cause of all winter lameness or soreness, the exact location of which is a puzzle.

Pig house floors must be dry, whether of cement or plank.

I have had no experience with other than dirt and plank floors, and find the latter, when placed ten inches above the ground, to be easily kept dry. Clean, dry bedding is always greatly appreciated by the hogs in fall and winter.

Whitewash the hog house on some bright, warm day this fall and then it will be light all winter, even if it does not have a large number of windows.

Plan to have the front of the house open on all nice winter days and a flood of sunlight will help to rid the place of any disease that may be lurking about.

Dust should be avoided in the house. Keep it clean, and hoe it out often.

Bedding is cheap; use plenty of it.

Value of the Composite Heap.

A veritable gold mine above ground is the up-to-date composite heap. Every gardener if he be wise will have one.

Lawn mowings, leaves, weeds, refuse from the house, garbage, feathers, old shoes, soap water, bones, sand, woolen rags, wood ashes, lime, plaster, sod, straw, etc., etc., begin a life of usefulness in the composite heap.

The poultry yard yields its quota of rotten eggs and dead chickens, and an occasional adult fowl. Larger farm animals than the latter should be buried, but if they have died of a contagious disease burn them.

A blind on a bridle is an abomination and a horse properly trained for relief; but carry it under the body forward of the center and the horse again attempts a backward motion to get away from its effect.

Whenever a horse is seen to try the passage of a narrow doorway, gate, or between two posts, which makes pressure on both his sides, if he gets more than half way through, it is next to impossible to back him out. He seems determined to go on through, even if his hips are broken down in the attempt.

As illustration of leading the dog for the first time is the same as that of the colt. He pulls back just the same, and if the leader is in a hurry he will go dragging the dog. But don't every small boy and nearly every old man know the direction a dog will take with a tin can tied to his tail?

Now, should not these well known facts in relation to the natural laws make an impression on all horsemen strong enough that from this time forward they will work in conformity with them instead of everlastingly opposing them for the trouble that can be so easily avoided?

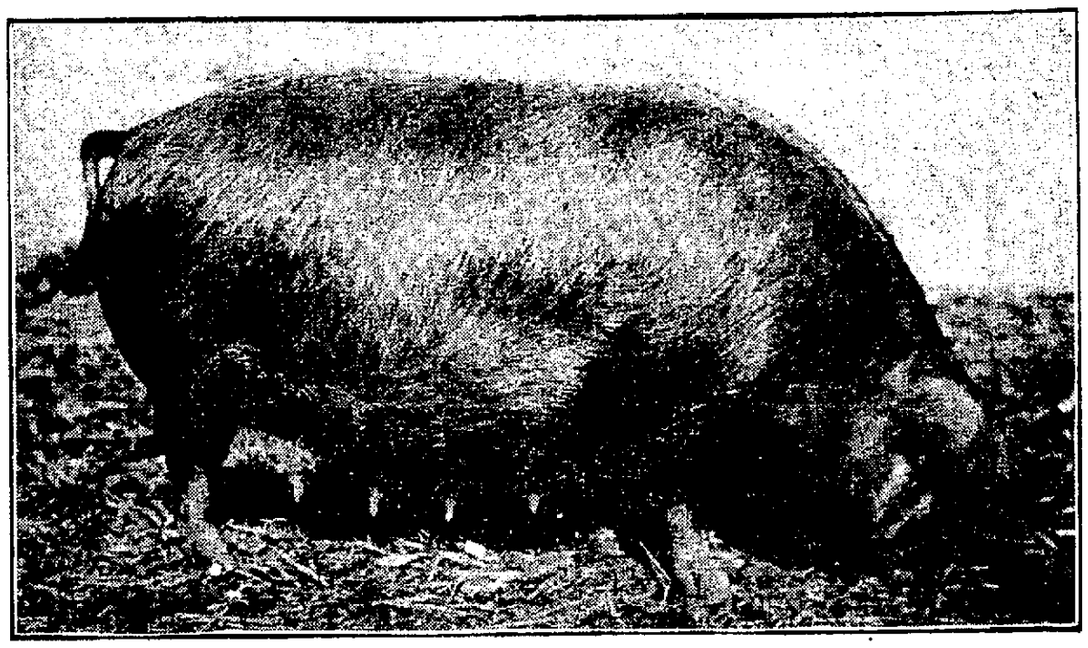
In spite of the tremendous increase in the number of automobiles, horses are in just as good demand as ever. In fact, there are more horses in the United States today than ever before, and prices average from $15 to $20 per head higher than five years ago.

Leaf Mould for Plants.

Leaf mould is a valuable and necessary addition to the soil used in potting plants, in the hot bed, or for growing seedlings in the open air. It is also fine when used for a mulch on the lawn. It makes soil friable and aids root formation.

Dig a hole large enough to accommodate the leaves you have gathered, and pack them in layers, tamping and watering each layer. Turn and water the leaves several times a year.

Leaves may be piled in the fence corner, and soil and brush used to



This sow and her twin sister took three first premiums at state fairs this fall. She is a splendid type of Berkshire and her conformation is as nearly perfect as high breeding can produce.

WHY HORSES PULL BACK.

Some Natural Laws That All Horsemen Ought to Know.

(Dr. T. C. Currier, Minnesota.)

Every horseman of experience and observation knows that whenever a horse gets his front foot over an obstruction of any kind and feels the pressure on the foot or leg—even if it is only six inches above ground—he goes backward until he frees himself, even if he could step over the obstruction by a forward movement, and when the hind foot is fast, he goes forward.

It is also well known that when the halter is put upon the colt's head for the first time and the "breaker" begins to pull on the halter, that the colt will invariably go backward to get out of the difficulty; yet how many colt handlers ever stopped to consider for one moment why the colt goes in that direction in preference to any other? And still everybody knows this to be a fact. Every colt "breaker" realizes in the beginning that it is a question of man power at one end of the halter and horse power at the other. If there is more horse power than human strength, too often a confirmed halter puller follows. If the halter is broken in the struggle, a like result is quite evident.

To still further illustrate this great natural law, just take up the front foot of a horse and carry it forward. Now carry the foot back under the body back of its center and a forward movement is the result. Then take up the hind foot and carry it backwards and the horse moves forward

City boys do not have all the fun that is going.

Haul in the Fodder.

It is a big waste to allow hay and fodder to stand in the field through all the fall rains and a part of the winter snows. With the present high prices for hay, enough will spoil in the stack to pay for baling the entire amount, or even to buy a good shingle roof to cover it. Corn fodder deteriorates very rapidly when not under shelter. As soon as it is sufficiently cured, haul it in and carefully store under cover where the greatest amount of good can be had from it and where it will be on hand for bad weather. It is poor business to grow good feed and have it destroyed by field mice and rats and the elements.

Good Farm Buildings Pay.

There is no better investment on the farm than good farm buildings. During a very rainy season, a farm will almost pay for itself in one year in the saving of feed alone, not counting the gain in housing animals and saving of manure. It pays to build too big a barn, rather than too small a one. It also pays to put good material into farm buildings. A good barn, built of good material, will last a lifetime and pay for itself many times over. Such substantial improvements, too, reflect the substantial character of the farmer, and count financially in the farm valuation, when it is offered for sale.

Facts for the weatherwise.

Dew is the moisture of the air condensed by coming in contact with bodies colder than itself. The dew does not "fall" from the atmosphere or rise from the ground. There is never dew on a dull, cloudy night or on a windy night. It may be found on a grass plot and leave a gravel walk dry, because grass is a good radiator of heat and thus rapidly becomes cold; a vapor of warm air coming in contact with the cold grass is instantly chilled into dew; the gravel is a bad radiator and parts with its heat very slowly and therefore does not condense the warm air. Dew never falls on the human body.

Riley's Rye Patch.

Whitcomb Riley was looking over a fence on his farm at a field of rye, when a neighbor who was driving by, stopped his horse and asked:

"Hullo, Mr. Riley, how's your rye doing?"

"Fine, fine," replied the poet.

"How much do you expect to clear to the acre?"

"Oh, about four gallons," answered Mr. Riley, soberly.

Horses and Men.

Society owes to the horse a debt of gratitude a thousand times greater than it does to thousands of men who abuse him. He has ministered to progress; has made social intercourse possible when otherwise it would have been slow and occasional or altogether impossible; he has virtually extended the strength of man, augmented his speed, doubled his time, decreased his burdens, and, becoming his slave, he has relieved him from drudgery and made him free. For love's sake, for the sake of social life, for eminent moral reasons, the horse needs to be bred, trained and cared for with scrupulous care.—Henry Ward Beecher.

Compensations.

I may be poor but am not so poor in spirit as the parsimonious rich man.

I may be lacking knowledge of the nicetics of social usage, but if I possess a kind heart I am fit for the highest plane of society.

I have no grand pictures of sculpture, but nature gives me her beauties with a lavish hand, for I understand and love her.

News of the Farm.

Before placing the potatoes in the cellar for the winter, let them rest in a dark, cool place for at least a month. The room in the cellar should be separated from everything else, and be kept cool and dry.

There are hundreds of thousands of acres of good farming land lying idle at this moment, simply because the owners have not studied drainage. A system of tiling costing $100 will often reclaim $500 worth of good land.

Fixed rations are all right, if plenty of common sense is mixed with them, but it is a mistake to stick to one thing when the animal's appetite and your own good judgment tells you something else ought to be used.

The price of wire fencing has steadily advanced, while the quality has steadily deteriorated. Some of the fencing now sold is almost worthless, and there is no redress from the trust.

The Department of Agriculture has given Robert R. Slocum an opportunity to prove how the hens of the

Kentucky the Great Turkey State

Thanksgiving Birds Not Easy to Raise in Many Sections, and Much Skill is Required.

(By A. D. Burhans.)

As an item of information, will some one come forward with the number of city folks who know nothing of where their Thanksgiving turkeys come from? There are no statistics on this topic. Thousands of readers have an idea that Thanksgiving turkeys come from any farm, but such is not the case. Every farmer's wife cannot raise turkeys, for it requires one who has an abundance of patience and a world of persistence. Some localities are fatal to the growing of turkeys, while others are such that they thrive and multiply without any considerable aid. Dampness, late springs, too short summers, and unsettled summer weather shorten the turkey crop in every locality where found. These are some of the reasons why certain sections cannot successfully grow them. A country noted as a turkey-growing state will have its crop considerably shortened by unsettled weather after the spring rains. Mrs. Hen Turkey needs no rain, save an occasional shower to cool off the atmosphere and freshen trees and grasses, after she has laid her eggs. She usually hides these in the brush or hay fields in turkey-growing sections, for there the raisers are not fearful of weather. In this section a rain of great force would drown all the poults hatched and flood the nests on the ground with two or three inches of water. This would annihilate over 95 per cent of the first crop. The second hatches would be too late in attaining marketable size to be worthy of note.

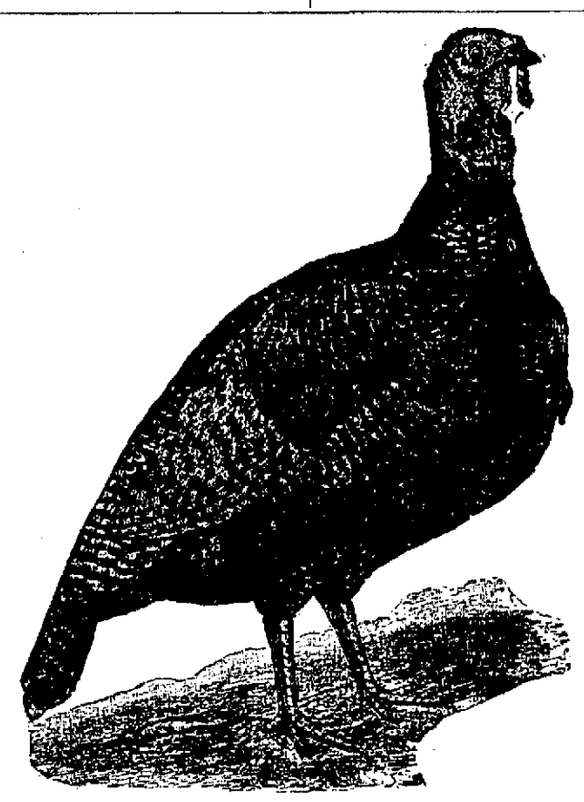
Where the climate is considered as being poor for turkeys, growers give every care to them. They never bother the hen from the time she begins to lay her first clutch until she begins to sit. Each day the egg laid is removed and when the time comes it is "set" in an incubator. The turkeys are hatched by a steady barnyard hen as she is given the eggs about three or four days before "due." The reason is this: Poults are hard to rear by hand and in brooders, and the turkey hen is robbed that she may continue to lay. A domestic hen will stand confinement well, but a turkey hen frets and tramps about in a coop until half of the poults are killed and she will not hover the youngsters when they need it. This is fatal. Cold and dampness are avoided with the use of a kind barnyard hen, as they are brooding continually, and, standing confinement, can be placed in sheltered places where dampness cannot hurt the poults. This method is used in some places where turkeys would naturally do well because of its usefulness in raising more than the usual number. One young woman in Texas who annually rears from 600 to 1,000 turkeys uses the being successfully reared by hand in numbers to make it a business.

For late broods or poults the turkey hen does fairly well if she is tethered out in a small yard each morning until the dew is off the grass. Let a hen trail a dozen poults through wet grass before they are fully feathered and it is fatal. In Western Kansas and Nebraska on small ranches the poults are not much in danger of this, as the dews are very light and often for weeks none will be noticed. Here it is that some one member of the family makes it a business to tend the turkeys the year round. A lad of sixteen has been known to raise, from first broods only, nearly 500 turkeys, and with improved methods he could have easily doubled it. This boy paid his own way through a large state university from the proceeds of his flock of turkeys, as particular buyers knew how he got out early broods, fed bone-making feeds, herded them daily in wheat fields and meadows where millions of grasshoppers were to be had; how he fattened them wholly on old corn, and drove miles with some one to help him gather acorns for finishing feed. He raised a few acres of mammoth sunflowers each year, because he discovered that the oil in them made a glossy feather unlike any other seed. Plumage and health are two great factors in the sale of whole flocks to large shippers. A brother has taken up the work of turkey growing where this one left off, and he, too, is succeeding.

The crop of turkeys for 1905 has been estimated as being much lighter than last year's, which will make them somewhat more expensive in price. To raise prices a trifle more, the chicken and waterfowl crop is 20 per cent less than the previous season. Possibly the crop is even lighter than this. The season in the west is unusually late and more small turkeys will be seen as a consequence. Hence, thirty to thirty-five pounders will be in greater demand for family reunions. But it is not the large turkey that tastes best by any means. Medium size is preferred by the average buyer. Inquiries in Wisconsin, Illinois, Iowa, Kansas, Nebraska, Missouri, Tennessee, Kentucky, Ohio and Indiana all substantiate the lateness of the turkey crop again this year. This year farmers are in no need of early fall cash, as their crops are good, and they are fortunate, as every day adds to their turkeys' value.

Kentucky is one of the states producing good turkeys. Most of them "just grow" there without any particular raising. From the single buying station of Lexington more than two and a half million pounds of turkey meat was shipped out last last season. This means sixty-nine car loads of turkey meat of twenty tons that some of them might get away! Illinois is ordinarily a damp state for turkeys, but in 1900 nearly 500,000 were raised there. Texas raised 650,000 the same year; Kansas a few thousand more than Texas; New York is credited with 140,000 turkeys in 1900, but in 1890 she managed to raise four times as many. Indiana, Ohio and Iowa raise nearly the same number each, though Iowa claims the largest number.

The per cent of families where the national bird is not found on Thanksgiving is very small, and in bounteous years this per cent is hard to find indeed. Years when the prices go soaring because of the supply being so much smaller than the demand, cause the crop to be taken quite clean. Even too many are sold for the next breeding season's good. Pet turkeys that are raised by hand by the sons or daughters of the farm are sacrificed in years when prices are good. Personal likes and love for the pets are not taken into consideration when the turkey buyers comes to the farm. On small farms the turkeys are hauled to market by the woman of the farm, but thousands of flocks are driven into market in Texas, western Nebraska and Kansas. Buyers scour the country weeks before we begin to get ready for Thanksgiving and contract in advance for every turkey they can buy. The early buyer generally gets the birds if he is offering a good price, but many times there is a spirited bidding for the choice flocks by as many as a dozen buyers.



Fine specimen of a Bronze Tom Turkey, bred in Massachusetts. He is three years old and sold in October for $175.

THE FARM VETERINARIAN.

A cure that has been highly recommended for foot-rot in sheep is a mixture of equal parts of sulphur and salt and one-fourth part alum, all pulverized and mixed well.

Dr. Law recommends the following remedy for stomach worms in sheep: Arsenious acid, 1 dram; sulphate of iron, 5 drams; powdered nux vomica, 2 drams; powdered areca, 2 ounces; common salt, 4 ounces. This is sufficient for thirty sheep and should be fed with ground feed once or twice a week.

For founder in horses, blister all around the top of the hoof. For this purpose, use equal parts of ammonia, turpentine and raw linseed oil. Carbolized vaseline applied afterwards is a good thing.

Pure lard and carbolic acid in the proportion of two parts lard to one part acid is an excellent remedy for abrasions or raw sores of any kind on animals. The mixture should be kept in a tightly covered jar in a cool place.

Some old-fashioned horse doctors still recommend bleeding at the jugular vein for blind staggers. This operation, if performed by the ordinary farmer, will result in death to the animal in nine cases out of ten.

The disease of husk, or hoose, in cattle, which is common in the late summer and fall, is caused by a parasite which gains access to the pulmonary tissue and bronchial tubes. Affected animals should be at once removed from the herd and treated by fumes of sulphuric acid and chlorine gas. But this should be done under the direction of a veterinarian.

Bloat in sheep may sometimes be cured by an ounce of hypo-sulphite of soda and one dram of aromatic spirits of ammonia in a cupful of quite warm water. The dose should be repeated every hour until relief from pain.

There are more than three million people in Chili, which lies between the lofty Andean range of mountains

BIG CROPS ON A SMALL FARM

My farm is a ten-acre lot, so I necessarily do things on a small scale. But the same things can be repeated on a larger scale. In May, I sowed one and one-half acres of millet on deeply plowed ground. This was out August 2d, and removed in a few days. The ground was cultivated thoroughly.

August 12th I sowed the following mixture for hog pasture: English blue grass, ten pounds; Bromus inermus, five pounds; timothy, five pounds; total, twenty pounds. A good rain in a few days gave it a good start. In October it was eight to 12 inches high. I pastured it lightly.

Last spring it started well; alfalfa, clover and blue grass racing for supremacy; timothy later and Brome grass nowhere; seed not good. June 1st the field was beautiful to behold, the dark green alfalfa, the clover coming in bloom and the English blue grass nodding above them both; the whole standing about two feet high and not a weed in sight.

On June 10th I cut the grass and on the 12th put it in the barn in perfect shape. I had three loads of at least three tons of excellent hay. July 1st, after twenty days' growth, it was eighteen inches high with alfalfa well in the lead. I cut at least three tons more of No. 1 hay. I got six tons of hay from 1½ acres, worth in the barn at least $36. I will pasture the land with red hogs, being careful not to pasture it short. From my observation and a little experience, I reach the following conclusions:

From a mixed seeding one gets a thicker and better stand of grass.

Sow in August or early September on well prepared ground; there will then be no loss of one crop and no cutting of weeds in the spring sowing.

Sow plenty of seed. You will get more hay and much more pasture.

JAMES McGUIRE,
Kansas.

REMEDIES FOR POULTRY ILLS.

For diarrhoea, slight cases, a few drops of spirits of camphor in the drinking water. 2. A half teaspoonful of paregoric daily. 3. Give a teaspoonful of soda water (made by using three teaspoonfuls of bicarbonate of soda to a pint of water). 4. Use charcoal, finely ground, in feed and water.

For indigestion, a gill of linseed meal to each dozen hens. 2. A teaspoonful of fenugreek in the mash for every ten fowls.

For leg weakness, a pill composed of a half grain of quinine, one grain of sulphate of iron and five grains of phosphate of lime. 2. Ten drops of tincture of nux vomica in a quart of drinking water.

For limberneck, night and morning give a pill of asafoetida about the size of a pea. 2. Four or five drops of turpentine in a spoonful of castor oil, or make it into a pill with wheat flour. 3. Mix sweet oil and oil of turpentine, equal parts, and give from ten drops to a teaspoonful of the mixture to each afflicted bird after it has fasted for several hours.

For pip, anoint the tongue with vaseline. 2. A small bit of butter the size of a nut and a bit of aloes of the size of a pea, made into a pill and put down the throat.

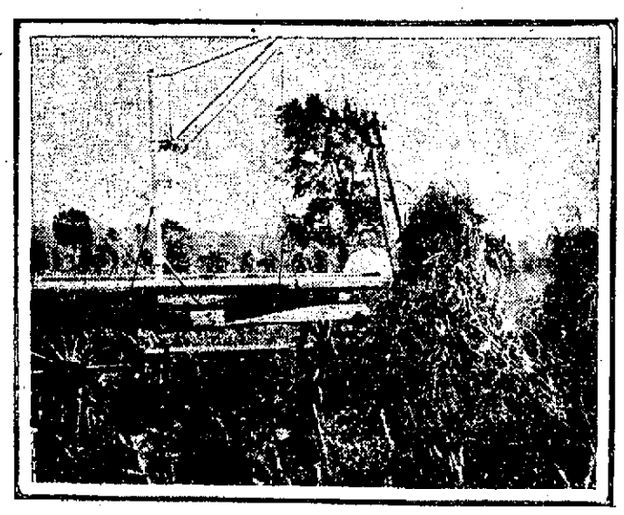
For rattling in the throat, give grown fowls a half teaspoonful every morning of a mixture composed of equal parts of vinegar and water. 2. Give ten drops daily of a mixture composed of one part spirits of turpentine with four parts of sweet oil.

For scaly legs, rub with an ointment made of equal parts of kerosene and melted lard. 2. One-third carbolic acid to two-thirds glycerine. Glycerine has a tendency to soften and bring out the color on shanks and toes that have become dry and harsh. Before using any ointment on a fowl's legs, it is best to thoroughly wash them with warm water and carbolic soap.

For sore eyes nothing better than a drop of glycerine.

For sore head, a little bromide of potassium in the drinking water, and then anointing with carbolized vaseline.—M. K. Boyer.

Among the needed reforms on the trotting turf none are more apparent than those in connection with scoring for the word, for under the present system, in fast classes especially, horses are put to fully as much effort before they reach the wire and before returning for another attempt as they are after the word is given.



A handy and practical corn loader. Two men with this loader can do as much work as four men with two teams.

Never buy a horse whose toes turn out. He is likely to interfere, as the fetlocks are generally turned in.

New England farmers are beginning to think kindly of the mule, and during the past three years many have gone into breeding them for market.

Crude petrolium is now being used extensively in the oil sections to improve country roads. The bridge company, of Leavenworth, Kansas,

THE MARKETS

GRAIN AND PROVISIONS.

Chicago Market.

Chicago, Ill., Dec. 1.—Despite large receipts in the northwest, the wheat market today opened firm. A surprisingly large amount of wheat was delivered on December contracts, more than four million bushels being turned over. The wheat was all taken by strong interests. Good buying by shorts and commission houses held the market steady. May opened a shade to ⅛c higher at 78⅛@78⅛c to 78¼c, sold at 78⅛c and then at 78¼c. Minneapolis, Duluth and Chicago reported receipts of 701 cars against 446 cars one year ago. The market was strong for December all day but easier for May. The high point for May was 78⅛@78⅜c. The close was easy with May down ⅛c at 77⅝c.

The corn market was steady on a good demand for the May option by commission houses. May opened unchanged to a shade lower at 43½@43⅝c to 43⅝c and sold at 43⅝@43¾c. Local receipts were 267 cars. The market eased off late in the day. May declining to 43⅜c. The close was easy with May off ⅛@¼c at 43⅜@43½c.

Oats were quiet and steady. May opened unchanged to a shade lower at 34⅞c to 34⅞@35c and sold at 35⅛c.

The provision market opened steady and very quiet. January lard opened unchanged at $8.45. Ribs were a shade higher at $7.72½. Pork was up 12½c at $14.57½.

The Close.

Prices at the close were as follows:
Wheat—December, 72⅞c; May, 77⅛c.
Corn—December, 42½c; May, 43⅝@43½c.
Oats—December, 33c; May, 34⅞c.
Pork—January, $14.60; May, $14.85.
Lard—January, $8.50; May, $8.47½.
Ribs—January, $7.80; May, $7.92½.
Rye—Cash, 67c.
Barley—Cash, 40@55c.
Timothy—December, $4.30@4.40.
Flax and Clover—Nothing doing.

LIVE STOCK.

Chicago Market.

Chicago, Ill., Dec. 1.—Cattle—Estimated receipts, 700; market, steady; beeves, $4.00@7.40; cows and heifers, $1.50@5.25; stockers and feeders, $2.35@4.50; Texans, $3.75@4.60; westerners, $3.50@6.00; calves, $5.25@7.00.

Hogs—Estimated receipts, 15,000; market, steady; mixed and butchers, $5.85@6.26; good heavy, $6.15@6.25; rough heavy, $5.75@5.95; light, $5.85@6.20; pigs, $5.50@6.00; bulk of sales, $5.95@6.20.

Sheep—Estimated receipts, 2,500; market, steady; sheep, $3.75@6.50; lambs, $4.50@7.85.

Cincinnati Market.

Cincinnati, Ohio, Dec. 1.—Hogs—Active; butchers and shippers, $6.30@6.35; common, $5.50@6.15.

Cattle—Quiet; fair to good shippers, $4.60@5.50; common, $2.00@2.50.

Sheep—Steady; $2.00@4.60; lambs, steady; $4.00@7.50.

Pittsburg Market.

Pittsburg, Dec. 1.—Cattle—Receipts, light; market, steady.

Hogs—Receipts, ten double decks; heavy, mediums, heavy Yorkers, light Yorkers and pigs, $6.60.

Sheep—$5.60 down; lambs, $7.60 down.

East Buffalo Market.

Buffalo, Dec. 1.—Hogs—Receipts, $5.000; pigs, $6.50@6.60; Yorkers, $6.30@6.35; medium and heavy, $6.35@6.40.

Sheep and Lambs—Receipts, 4,000; market, slow; top lambs, $7.50 down.

Cattle—Market, steady.

PRODUCE AND POULTRY.

Chicago Market.

Chicago, Ill., Dec. 1.—Butter—Steady; creameries, 22@29½c; dairies, 20@26c.

Eggs—Strong; at mark, including cases, 23@27c.

Cheese—Strong; daisies, 13½c; twins, 13@13¼c; young Americas, 13¼c.

Poultry—Alive, steady; turkeys, 13c; chickens, 8c; springs, 9c.

New York Market.

New York, Dec. 1.—Butter—Strong; receipts, 5,157 packages; street prices extra creamery, 30½@31c; official prices creamery extra, 30c asked; held common to extra, 21@29c; state dairy common to extra, 20@24½c; renovated common to firsts, 17@23½c; western factory common to extra, 17@21c; western imitation creamery firsts, 22@23c.

Cheese—Quiet; receipts, 3,675 boxes; state, full cream and small and large September fancy, 14c; ditto October best, 13; ditto late made, 12¼@12¾c; ditto inferior, 10¾@11¾c; skims, 3@10½c; weekly exports 1,885 boxes.

Eggs—Strong; receipts, 3,772 cases; state and nearby fancy selected white 24c; ditto choice, 23@24c; ditto mixed fancy, 23@24c; western finest, selected, 33@34c; official price firsts, 32c; seconds, 27@30c; western average best, 33@34c; official prices seconds, 28@32c.

OIL.

Toledo Market.

Toledo, Ohio, Dec. 1.—North Lima, 90c; South Lima and Indiana, 85c.

WEEKLY BANK STATEMENT.

New York, Dec. 1.—The statement of the clearing ... banks for the week (five days) follows:
Loans ... 0. Increase $5,084,000.
Deposits $938,634,700, increase $569,600.
Circulation $53,439,400, increase $1,059,000.
Legal tenders $69,420,700, increase $542,200.
Specie $181,687,100, decrease $3,320,000.
Reserve $251,107,800, decrease $2,786,900.
Reserve required $249,658,675, increase $167,400.
Surplus, $1,449,125, decrease $2,954,300.
Ex-United States deposits $5,010,750.

STOCKS AND BONDS.

The Day on Wall Street.

New York, Dec. 1.—First prices of stocks were but little changed from last night and the volume of transactions was small. The movement was hesitating and irregular. A rise of ⅝ in New York Central and a decline of as much in Reading were the principal movements. Virginia Iron rose 3½ and St. Louis & San Francisco second preferred a point.

A light demand for Atchison and Chesapeake & Ohio, which benefited them ⅝ and 1 per cent respectively, proved to be the only development of interest in the market in the first hour's trading. The rest of the list shook off its uncertainty and stiffened a fraction in sympathy. Bethlehem Steel gained 2 and National Biscuit 2½. United States Pipe preferred gave way 1¼ and United States Express 4½.

The market closed dull and firm. Railway Steel Spring advanced 4. Pacific Mail 2 and Pressed Steel Car and American Car 1. Great Northern preferred declined 1⅜. Denver & Rio Grande preferred, United States Pipe and Detroit United Railways 1 and Bethlehem Steel preferred 3¼.

NEW YORK STOCK MARKET.

(Quotations Corrected Daily by Irwin & Perry, Commission Brokers, No. 3, North American Building.)

December 1.

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
Amer. Sugar	133⅝	133⅝	133⅛	133⅜
Amer. Loco.	75⅞	76	75½	76
Amer. Smelter	151¾	152¼	151¾	152
Amal. Copper	113⅜	113⅝	113	113½
Atchison	104⅝	105⅛	104¼	105⅜
Amer. Car Fdy.	44⅝	45⅛	44⅝	45¼
Brook. Rap. Tr.	80⅛	80½	80	80½
Balti. & Ohio	119⅜	119⅝	119⅝	119⅝
Chi. Great West.	18¼	18¼	18	18
Ches. & Ohio	56¼	57⅜	56¼	57¼
Col. Fuel & Iron	54⅝	56	54⅜	55
Canadian Pac.	182¾	183	182¾	183
Distillers	70¾	71	70¾	71
Erie	44	44⅛	44	44⅛
Kansas & Texas	73½	73⅝	72¼	73⅛
Louis. & Nash.	146½	146⅝	146¼	146¾
Missouri Pacific	94⅝	94⅝	94⅜	94⅝
Mexican Central	25⅛	25⅜	25¼	25⅜
New York Cen.	131¾	132	131¾	132
Pennsylvania	138½	138⅝	138⅜	138⅝
P. R. S.	54⅜	56⅝	54	55⅝
Reading	147⅝	147⅞	147⅜	147⅞
Rock Island	32⅝	32⅝	32¼	32½
St. Paul	182⅞	182⅞	182¼	182⅝
Southern Ry.	35	35	34⅞	34⅞
Southern Pacific	94¼	94½	94	94⅛
Texas Pacific	37⅝	38	37¾	38
Union Pacific	187	187¼	186⅞	186⅞
U. S. Steel	47⅝	48	47⅝	48
U. S. Steel pfd.	104⅜	105	104⅝	105
Wabash	20⅞	20⅝	20⅝	20½
Wabash	43⅛	43⅛	43¼	43¼
Ontario & West.	48¼	48¼	48¼	48⅛

FORT WAYNE MARKETS.

Base Street.

Wheat—72c bu.
Corn—Old, 42@45c bu; new, 35c bu.
Oats—33@34c bu.
Rye—52c bu.
Barley—40c bu.
Apples—40@50c bu.
Butter—18@22c lb.
Eggs—26@30c doz.
Lard—8@9c lb.
Potatoes—35@45c bu.
Cabbage—35c doz.
Turkeys—14@17c lb.
Chickens—8@9c lb.
Ducks—8@9c lb.
Geese—7c lb.
Wool—Unwashed, 25@26c; washed, 30@31c.
Honey—13c lb.

Grain, Hides and Wool.

Quotations from S. Bash & Co.—Wheat, 71c bu; rye, 55c bu; corn, new, 35c bu; corn, old, 45@46c bu; cured hides, 12c lb; green hides, 11c lb; green calf hides, 13½c lb; cured, 15c lb; wool, 25c lb; wool, washed, 30@32c lb; clover seed, $6.50@7.00.

Weil Brothers & Co.'s Quotations—Wool, unwashed medium, 28c lb; tub washed, 25@33c lb; medium fleeced washed, 30@32c lb; fine washed, 25@26c lb; No. 1 cured light hides, 13½c lb; No. 1 calfskin cured, 15c lb; No. 1 green calfskin, 13½c lb; cured, 15c lb; green light hides, 11c lb; green steers (heavy), 11c lb; copper, light, 15c lb; rubber shoes, 9c lb; tinfoil, 32c lb; copper, heavy, 15½c lb; horse hides, $4.15; zinc, 4½c lb; mixed iron, 50@65c cwt; country mixed rags, $1.20@1.30 cwt; bones, 00c cwt; lead, 4c lb.

Mill Quotations.

Quotations of Mayflower Mills—Winter wheat patents, $4.00@4.60; winter wheat straight, $3.60@4.00; spring wheat patents, $4.40@5.00; rye flour, $3.80@4.20; graham flour, $3.40@3.80; pumpernickle, $3.60@4.00; bran, $21.00 ton; shorts, $21.00 ton; middlings, $21 ton; chopfeed, $22 ton; cornmeal fine, $1.35@1.50 cwt; cracked corn, $1.35@1.50 cwt; cornmeal, coarse, $1.35@1.50 cwt; screenings, No. 1, 60@65c bu; No. 2, 45@50c bu; corn, new, 35c bu; corn, old, 45c bu; oats, 32c bu; rye, 62c bu; flaxseed, $1.15 bu; wheat, 72c bu.

Tressell & Sons' Quotations—Winter wheat, straight, $3.60@4.00; winter patents, $4.20@4.80; spring wheat patents, $4.15@4.60; rye flour, $3.80@3.80; bran, $21 ton; $1 cwt; pumpernickle, $1.75 cwt; shorts, $21.00 ton; $1.00 cwt; cornmeal, (fine), $1.40@1.50 cwt; cracked corn, $1.40; screenings, 50c bu; middlings, $22.00 ton; chop feed, $24.00@26.00 ton; wheat, 72c bu; corn, 32c bu; rye, 62c bu; oats, 32c bu.

Commission Merchants.

Quotations of J. T. Johnson, 607 Barr Street—Chickens, 8c lb; chickens, (dressed), 12@14c; ducks, 8c; turkeys, 13c lb; geese, 8c lb; country butter, 20c; creamery, 28c; packing butter, 16c; eggs, 26c; onions, 40c; apples, 50c; potatoes, 45c.

Quotations E. K. Bush, No. 306 East Columbia Street—Chickens, 8c lb; turkeys, 10@12c lb; ducks, 8c lb; potatoes, 45@50c bu; onions, 35c bu; country butter, 18@20c lb; eggs, 25c doz; apples, 35@60c bu.

Quotations of Howenstein & Crouse, Barr and Columbia Streets—Chickens, 8c; chickens, dressed, 12@13c; ducks, 8c lb; turkeys, 12c lb; geese, 7c lb; country butter, 17c lb; packing, 16c lb; creamery, 29c lb; eggs, 28c dozen; onions, 25c bu; apples, 50c bu; potatoes, 40c bu.

Live and Dressed Stock.

Quotations of Eckart Packing Co.—Hogs, on foot, $6.50@6.00; sheep, on foot, $3.00; lambs, on foot, $5.00@6.00; calves on foot, $5.50@6.00; grass fed steers, $4.@4.50; beef cows on foot, $2.00@2.50; lard 10c.

The Hay Market.

Timothy—$14.00@16.00.
Mixed—$12.00@14.00.
Clover—$10.00@12.00.
Straw—$4.00@5.00.

Local Coal Market.

Hard coal, $7.75 ton; Hocking Valley, $4.75 ton; Massillon and Jackson, $5.75 ton; Pocahontas, $6.50 ton; Cannel coal, $6.50 ton.

GETTING READY FOR CANAL.

Mississippi River Will Have a Fourteen-Foot Channel.

Judge R. S. Taylor, a member of the Mississippi river commission, arrived home Friday from the fall trip of inspection. He reports that the river, which is now at low stage, as usual at this season, is higher than usual below Memphis because of heavy rains in the Wolf river valley. "We have concluded," said Judge Taylor, "to try an experiment at some of the worst bars, to give the river a fourteen-foot channel. We are required by law to keep it at nine feet, and we have no trouble except for three months in the year. What used to be very difficult in clearing away sandbars is now accomplished quickly and in a highly successful way by hydraulic dredges. We happen to have available a large supply of coal, which we have not had to use, owing to heavy rains this year, and as there is a prospect of an attempt to provide a fourteen-foot canal from Chicago to the Mississippi river, we will be called in that event to provide a fourteen-foot channel at all seasons below St. Louis. Our efforts now is to find out whether we can make a bed that deep that will stay. We have issued orders for an immediate start at such work on bars most likely to prove troublesome. It is entirely likely that we will succeed in removing any obstacle that might stand in the way of an early accomplishment of a fourteen-foot canal from Chicago."

WAS FATHER OF TWENTY-FOUR.

(Monroeville Breeze.)

Isaac G. Copps was born in Columbiana county, Ohio, on January 21, 1835, and departed this life in Fort Wayne, Ind., in the insane ward of the Allen county poor farm on Wednesday, November 21, 1906, at the age of seventy-one years an ten months. In 1861 he was united in the bonds of holy matrimony to Hannah J. Johnson, of White Pigeon, Mich., and to this union were born twenty-two children. The wife and fifteen children have preceded him to the spirit world. In July of 1864 he enlisted in the service of his country in company G, 142d Indiana volunteer infantry and was mustered out of service in October, 1865. On February 14, 1892, he again united in marriage to Susan Hartzell and to this union were born two children, of whom all survive. He leaves two brothers, three sisters, his wife and nine children to mourn their loss. The funeral services were held on last Friday morning at the United Brethren church, and interment took place in the I. O. O. F. cemetery with Rev. J. Logan Powers officiating.

ELKS DECIDE TO BUILD.

Lodge Ratifies Plans for $60,000 Home on West Berry Street.

Fort Wayne lodge of Elks at its meeting Friday evening by unanimous vote ratified the plans submitted by the building committee for the purchase of a site at the northeast corner of West Berry street and Maiden lane and the erection of a $60,000 lodge home on the premises. A description of the proposed building was fully set forth in The Sentinel something more than a week ago, and the movement contemplates one of the most complete lodge buildings in the state. The site for the structure will be purchased from J. Ross McCulloch, and contracts for the erection of the structure will probably be let in January. The building committee which has devised the plans for the erection of the home is composed of Messrs. A. C. Alter, C. B. Bryson, Frank E. Bougher, James J. Dormer, W. F. Ranke, M. F. Belger, Charles G. Pape, W. M. Griffin and W. C. Schwier.

SHOT A WHITE SQUIRREL.

Rare Specimen of the Family Found in Allen County.

Attorney H. I. Smith has in his possession a white squirrel which was shot a few days ago by W. E. Dalman on his farm in the southern part of Allen county. The specimen is diminutive in size, but is interesting on account of the extreme rarity of its color. Mr. Dalman will have the squirrel's body mounted by a taxidermist.

FAIRFIELD HEIGHTS

Come out tomorrow and select one of those choice lots. Don't let everyone else get ahead of you. Several choice bargains on Fairfield, South Wayne and Tacoma avenues. Only 50c down, then 50c to $1 per week. No interest. No taxes. Come early, rain or shine. Tomorrow will be last Sunday. Car fare refunded on grounds. Take South Wayne car to end of line, then go 1½ squares south.

WANTS

WANTED—To buy second-hand furniture; highest price paid. Phone 2243; 1410 Calhoun St. 6-30-tf

WANTED—Chimney sweeping and work of all kinds. Charles Lackiln, 211 East Leith St., drop a card. 1-6t

WANTED—Experineced girl for general housework, in family of two. Apply at 912 West Washington St. 1-2t

WANTED—Furnace Repairing — Before buying a new furnace consult E. G. Moore, expert furnace repairer, 612 Webster St. 30-2t

WANTED—Ten dressmakers, four tailoresses, one errand girl. Apply at once. 130 West Washington St. 30-3t

WANTED—A woman to wash and clean house by the day; also girl for general housework. Address Box 2, care Sentinel.

WANTED—Stoves to blacken and clean and repair; all work first-class. Dickerson, the Stove Man, 234 West Main St.; phone 1540. 11-15-1m

WANTED—Fifty girls to operate single needle and special machines; steady employment and good wages. Call and see us. Hoosier Mfg. Co. 10-3-tf

WANTED—Housework, by competent young lady; must be treated as one of the family. Address Box No. 72, R. F. D., No. 5, Butler, Indiana.

WANTED—Man and wife; man to do delivering and woman to help with housework. Steady employment. Carpenter wanted. Canadian Coal Co., 1430 Hanna St. 30-2t

WANTED—Agents—Send 15c for our wonder box, contains 6 cakes of soap and six silverold spoons; sells for 35c. Acme Chemical Co., 56 Fifth Ave., Chicago. 12-1-6t

WANTED—Local agent for Chicago engraving house; one with some knowledge of the business preferred. Salary and commission. Address "Engraver," care Sentinel.

WANTED—Mrs. Fitzgerald's Employment Office, 201 West Washington St. Cooks, dishwashers, diningroom girls, and all kinds of hotel help; also experienced private house help. Good wages. 6-11-1yr

WANTED—Waiters, cooks, and general hotel help; laborers for in and out of town; also messenger and delivery boys, etc. Red Line Employment office, Arcade. 10-22-tf

WANTED—Some boys to learn to play string or wind instruments and join a band and orchestra. A few can get lesson free if they apply at once. Professor Thompson, 17 Seidel Blk. 11 14-1m

WANTED—Salesman, experienced in any line, balance this year and 1907, to sell general trade in Indiana; an unexcelled specialty proposition; commissions with $35 weekly for expenses. The Continental Jewelry Co., Cleveland, Ohio.

WANTED—Men to learn barber trade. Splendid time to begin. Few weeks completes. Top wages paid. Positions waiting. Best trade in the world for poor man. Little capital starts business. Investigate. Moler Barber College, Chicago, Ill. 10-20-sats-6t

WANTED—Two young men to join two other young men of good character and habits to form mess in furnished house and secure comforts of a good home, not found in restaurants. Address with references, "Home," care Sentinel.

WANTED—Salesmen — Large wholesale house, paying its salesmen $1,500.00 per year and expenses to sell staple line to general trade, desires two more men for 1907 to commence work at once, if possible. Address Sawyer, Leslie & Co., Detroit, Mich.

WANTED—Hustlers wanted everywhere, $25 to $30 made weekly distributing circulars, packages, overseeing out door advertising. Experience not needed. New plan. No canvassing. Address Merchants Out Door Advertising Co., 79 Dearborn St., Chicago.

LOST

LOST—A diamond ring at League park yesterday. Please leave at Wayne Hotel Cigar stand and receive reward. 30-2t

LOST—Between Temple theater and 215 Baker St., a gold watch, "L. J. C." engraved on back. Finder please return to 215 Baker St. and receive reward.

LOST—Lady's silver watch with black leather fob, on Wayne St., between Barr and Harrison. Finder will please return to 216 East Wayne St. and receive reward. 1-6t

LOST—Last evening, between Rodenbeck's Hair Store and Pixley-Long Blk., then to Wolf & Dessauer's and West Berry St. to Fairfield, an enamel breast pin with two diamonds. Reward to finder if returned to Mrs. Bowman, 502 West Berry St.

MEDICAL

ALL AFFLICTED with a cough of long standing resulting from la grippe or weak lungs, or hemorrhages, should try my cough and lung syrup, an old Indian remedy, made of roots and herbes; it has never been known to fail. Call at 1511 Fairfield avenue. 12-21-tf

FELT WEATHER STRIPS.

Get "Phenix" Felt Weather Strips. They keep out the cold. Phenix Screen and Awning Co., 725 Clinton St. Phone 2260. 10-23-tf

MONEY TO LOAN ON VALUABLES.

Call at W. W. Dygert, Pawnbroker, 130 East Columbia St. Open evenings. 10-17-1yr

REMOVAL.

William D. C. Kayser, the tailor, has removed from 608 West Jefferson St. to 219 West Jefferson St. 5-26-1yr.

REV. MR. KEITH TO PREACH.

Kalamazoo Clergyman Will Speak at Salvation Army Citadel.

Rev. T. J. Keith, D. D., of Kalamazoo, Mich., will preach at the Salvation army citadel, 133 Washington boulevard east, Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock.

Tonight Captain McKay will preach on the subject, "Who is My Brother?" Sunday morning at 10:30 the subject will be "What is Holiness?" Sunday school is held at 1:30 o'clock, with the Bible class by Mrs. Quince at the same hour. The evening sermon by Captain McKay will be "Thou Art Weighed."

All those who have not inspected the new citadel are cordially invited to do so. Captain McKay desires to thank all those who have helped in any way in the erection of the new building, and to say that since its opening the Salvation Army work has been going forward as never before in Fort Wayne. All are invited to the meetings. There are short talks and good singing every night.

LIVE STOCK SHOW OPENS.

Chicago, Dec. 1.—The seventh annual live stock exhibition opened today at the Union stock yards and will continue eight days.

FOR SALE FOR SALE FOR SALE

REAL ESTATE FOR SALE

CITY PROPERTY.	SUBURBAN PROPERTY.	FARMS.
FINE 6-room cottage; both kinds of water, cemented cellar, walks and fruit; plat 142x150, located in eastern part of city near car line; a fine home at a reasonable price.	**A Special Offer** An ideal country home in the suburbs. Ten acres located about two and one-half miles from the Court House on a fine gravel road. Has a good seven-room house, new barn, poultry house, excellent water from a driven well, large cistern and good orchard. Land is level and elevation high. Suitable for poultry or truck farm. An attractive country home offered for sale at a low price for a short time only. This property must be seen to be appreciated.	ONE of the best 80 acres in Jefferson township; new 9-room house, new barn, 37x78; all black loam soil, perfectly level, well tiled; bargain price.
EIGHT-ROOM modern home on the south side; soft water bath, city water, electric lights, cemented cellar, slate roof; on car line and paved street; will be sold at a bargain price.		EIGHTY acres of fine level land near Sheldon; good buildings, some timber; price, $4,200.
NEW 5-room cottage, just completed; water, electric lights, cellar cemented, walks and sewerage; near car line; price very reasonable; small cash payment, balance same as rent.		EIGHTY acres near Woodburn, Milan township, level, black loam, well drained, fair house, new barn, must be sold; bargain.
$2,000 will purchase a ten-room house, with both kinds of water, near churches, schools and car line, in a desirable location, north side. See photograph at office.		FORTY acres, three miles from city, fine house finished in oak, with bath, furnace and gas plant, good barn, some black soil, balance sandy; fences good, well tiled. Will sell at a price or will trade on a larger farm, paying cash difference.
$1,500 buys a six-room house, both kinds of water, wired for lights, good cellar and sewerage, near car line and paved street. Small payment down, balance same as rent.	A DESIRABLE six-room house, good well, cistern, fine cellar, small barn and fruit. Plot of ground 88x150 feet. Located southwest of city near car line, convenient to Rolling Mills. This property at a bargain price.	THREE 40-acre farms, southwest of city, two have good improvements. All of them are level. All black soil, well tiled. Will sell separately or together. It will pay you to look at these if you want a 40-acre tract; will take city property in trade for one of them.
FINE ten-room residence, electric lights, bath, hard and soft water, good cellar, full lot, on paved street, south side location. This property at a bargain. See photograph at office.	FIVE acres with fine, large house, good barn, well, cistern and fruit; a desirable suburban home, poultry or truck patch; located on fine gravel road, about 2½ miles from Court House; small payment down, balance on easy terms; might consider city property in exchange.	SEVENTY acres of level black land, located eight miles from city, three miles south of New Haven, new house and good barn, farm is thoroughly tiled. Price only $4,300.
FINE 8-room house, slate roof, modern except furnace, paved street, located in southeast part of city. Reasonable price.	TWENTY-FIVE acres, located four miles from city near interurban line; improvements are good; an excellent poultry and truck farm, at a bargain.	200 ACRES OF CORN LAND—In Paulding County, Ohio. Fine black soil, two desirable houses, three good barns and other necessary outbuildings, good supply of water, two fine orchards, farm well tiled.
STRICTLY modern 10-room house within four blocks of court house, in desirable location, and at the right price.	ONE-HALF acre tracts in Interurban Acre Addition in the industrial suburbs, located on the Huntington interurban line, at $175 to $225 per acre. Small payment down, balance monthly.	A number of small improved farms, 20 to 40 acres, good productive soil and within easy reach of Fort Wayne. Prices and terms reasonable.
SIX-ROOM house, convenient to Electric works, both kinds of water and other improvements. Bargain price.		
$1,400 buys a six-room house in fine location, southwest part of city.		
$900 buys a cozy little cottage on the south side in a good location. Small payment down, balance in small monthly payments.		

Over 300 fine farms in Allen, Whitley, Adams, Wells, Noble, Antwerp, Van Wert, Paulding, DeKalb, Huntington, Kosciusko, Steuben and Lagrange counties, ranging in size from 20 to 300 acres and in price from $40 to $100 per acre. When in the market for a farm, it will be to your interest to inspect my large and splendid list. It will cost you nothing to do so. I can suit you in price, terms, location, nature of soil and improvements.

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OFFICE OPEN EVENINGS. HOME PHONE 1625.
ROOMS 15-16-17 AND 18 PIXLEY-LONG BLOCK, FORT WAYNE, IND.

FOR SALE—Home sites in Forest Park. Splendid investments. 10-27-tf

FOR SALE—A good, sound pony, at a bargain if sold soon. Inquire at 1160 Division St. 1-2t

FOR SALE—A small home on Barthold St., near Third St. Price, $1,575. 1-16-tf W. E. DOUD.

FOR SALE—Fine business lot, 25x160, on Calhoun St., near Montogomery, price $5,200. K. Vorndran, 2524 Hanna St., phone 6070. 26-6t

FOR SALE—A bargain; 7-room house on East Lewis St., partly modern; a fine location. If you want close in get this. C. W. Bussard, 503 East Berry St., phone 2237. 11-30-tf

FOR SALE—Five-room house, on East Jefferson St., at a bargain; also have 7-room house on Harrison St., $1,900; also have two 4-room houses in Bloomingdale, at $900 each. Frank Gebert, 127 East Berry St. 12-1-1m

FOR SALE—Beautiful 12-room brick slate roof house, all modern, choice close in location. Price only $7,500, easy terms, house alone cost $10,000; very suitable for rooming or boarding house. Address "Central," care Sentinel.

FOR SALE—Fine 9-room house on Masterson Ave., near Clinton, lot 30x150, furnace, bath, electric lights, hot and cold water, cemented cellar, street pavement paid, price $3,400. K. Vorndran, 2524 Hanna St., phone 6070. 26-6t

FOR RENT

FOR RENT—Unfurnished room, with closet; 811 West Washington. 11-27-tf

FOR RENT—Seven-room house. Inquire Emmett Martin, 710 Buchanan St., telephone, 6379. 11-26-tf

FOR RENT—Two nicely furnished rooms, all modern conveniences. Call at 624 East Lewis St. 1-2t

FOR RENT—House at southeast corner Main and Webster Sts. Inquire at Wolf & Dessauer's Store. 11-8-eod-tf

FOR RENT—Seven-room house, 1218 W. Washington. Inquire of Jos. Nussbaum, 202 West Berry St., phone 477. 10-23-tf

FOR RENT—Big barn, between postoffice and Fisher bath house. Inquire at Fishers' bath house. 1-2t

FOR RENT—A nice furnished front room suitable for two gentlemen, with table board; house modern; 135 West Lewis, near Calhoun St. 26-6t

FOR RENT—Seven-room flat, at 714 Union St.; steam heat, electric light, hot and cold water and janitor service. H. G. Keegan. 11-28-tf

FOR RENT—Beautiful, well furnished house, all modern conveniences, choice west side location, immediate possession. Address "Home," care Sentinel.

FOR RENT—New 6-room house in Lakeside, near end of car line. Price, $13 per month. 1-16-tf W. E. DOUD.

FOR RENT—December 1, 5-room house, bath room, electric lights, No. 915 Garden St. Rent $15.00 per month. Apply 1235 West Washington St. 10-30-tf

FOR RENT—Or Sale—The large 12-room brick residence, corner of Wayne and Harrison Sts., known as the Mayer property. For particulars inquire at The Sentinel office. 11-9-tf

FOR RENT—A very pleasant and nicely furnished front room, suitable for two gentlemen; electric light, soft water bath, furnace heat, and use of 'phone. At 296 West Jefferson. 11-24-tf

FOR RENT—Two furnished rooms for light housekeeping, three squares west of Calhoun St., between Washington and Jefferson Sts. Inquire Mrs. Michels, 1015 Ewing St. 11-24-tf

FOR RENT—About November 1, a large modern house, five squares from court house; a modern barn and carriage house in connection. Apply at Meyer Brothers Co.'s drug store. 10-11-tf

FOR RENT—Seven-room house, with barn, at 325 Brandriff St., $15.00 per month. Six-room house on Piqua road, $8.00 per month. O. Gandy & Co., 205 West Berry St. 28-wed-sat

FOR RENT—Large front room with alcove; one of the finest furnished rooms in city; ideal home; modern conveniences; plenty of heat; everything new and up-to-date; strictly first-class; 1010 Fulton St. 11- tu-th-sat-tf

FOR RENT—Seven-room house, modern, 1112 West Berry, will be ready for occupancy soon. Also house near I. S. & F. Y., and six-room house 435 Dawson. Swayne & Swayne, 111 West Main St. 10-18-tf

SEWING MACHINES

Buy the New Domestic if you want the best. I also handle good second-hand machines at bargains. Needles and supplies for any machine.
H. C. Blitzmann, No. 8 Arcade.
Repairing a Specialty. Phone 2493.

REAL ESTATE FOR SALE

Five-room house on John street; good lot with nice fruit trees. Elegant location for shopman. $1,750.

Four-room house on Killea street; good cellar; complete sewerage and water; extra large lot 58x169. Everything in first-class condition. Price only $1,400. This property can be bought on easy terms.

Six-room house on Wall street; water and complete sewerage; cement sidewalks. $2,000.

Several of those beautiful lots in Williams Grove.

Vacant lots and properties in all parts of the city.

Several small houses on easy terms.

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Rooms 3-4 Pixley-Long Blk.
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FOR SALE—Lots in Forest Park, $250 to $475. 10-27-tf

FOR SALE—Forest Park lots are convenient to downtown. 10-27-tf

FOR SALE—Nothing in Fort Wayne excels Forest Park lots. 10-27-tf

FOR SALE—Nice span of young mules. Call at 2017 Lafayette St. 11-12-tf

FOR SALE—Forest Park lots. Free cement walks, free shade trees, splendid neighborhood. Louis F. Curdes. 10-12-tf

FOR SALE—A No. 8 Baxter Banner cook stove, in good condition; will be sold at a bargain. H. C. Blitzmann, No. 8, Arcade. 11-24-tf

FOR SALE—Five building lots on Pontiac near Lafayette, frontage 140x150, street pavement paid. Price $2,800. K. Vorndran, 2524 Hanna St., phone 6070. 26-6t

FOR SALE — A 12-room residence, on paved street, lot 100x150, drove well, large barn. Price, $2,600. K. Vorndran, 2524 Hanna St., phone, 6070. 26-6t

FOR SALE—Or Trade—Eight-room modern house, on Smith St., near Creighton. Will take a lot in exchange, price of lot not to exceed $500.00. Address Box 10, care Sentinel. 11-23-tf

FOR SALE — Six-room residence, two squares from Knitting Mills; lot 60x150; drove well, good cemented cellar, good barn; price, $1,500. K. Vorndran, 2524 Hanna St., phone 6070. 26-6t

FOR SALE—Two nice partly modern 6-room cottages, at a bargain, if sold soon; also several lots to exchange for improved property, pay cash difference. 709 Court St., ground floor. S. Fristoffer. 11-15-tf

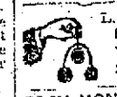
FOR SALE—The 20th Century Medicine and Tonic for chickens, turkeys and geese. This medicine is produced from the most powerful ingredients known for the cure and prevention of all diseases of fowls of every description. General agency, prepared and for sale at the Niswonger Drug Store, 128 West Main St. 6-9-tf

EXCHANGE—I will exchange two good farms for city property. I also have a large list of farms which I will sell at a bargain if sold soon. S. Fristoffer, 709 Court St., ground floor. 11-8-tf

LOANS

SOME PRIVATE MONEY to loan on household goods or pianos. Private and confidential. Address Lock Box 223 1-21-1y.

LOANS—6% per cent money to loan; farms only. W. A. Jones, over Old National bank. 1-11-1y



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BULLETIN.

FOR TRADE—We will trade a fine farm with slate-roof house and bank barn, on interurban, 6 miles from city for residence, vacant lots or business property here. Above farm has a gravel pit which should prove a money maker.

ON SOUTH side we have several good homes. See us now about three entirely new properties near reservoir Park. These homes are modern. Price $3,200.

BUSINESS BLOCK—
We have several, but one particularly that we would be glad to talk with you about.

SUBURBAN—
Remember the 6, 13 or 20-acre tracts on Robison Park Car line that we can sell for $100 per acre.

OUR FARM LIST is the largest. We not only sell the earth, but insure everything.

MONROE W. FITCH & SONS,
Opp. Postoffice. Phone 1360.

FOR SALE—New 6-room house on South Broadway. Will be sold at a bargain. 1-18-tf W. E. DOUD.

FOR SALE—Stove wood and kindling. Paul Manufacturing Co., phone 402. 12-1-1m

FOR SALE—Buyers of Forest Park lots will be assisted financially by the Forest Park company. See Louis F. Curdes. 10-27-tf

FOR SALE—Good 5-room house on High St., near St. Mary's, with full lot. Price, $1,275.00. 1-16-tf W. E. DOUD.

FOR SALE—Six-room house at 1830 Gladstone St., just north of St. Joe Blvd. Price, $1,300. 1-16-tf W. E. DOUD.

FOR SALE—Before you buy a lot see Forest Park. Over 225 lots already sold. Many choice sites remain. Low prices, easy terms. Louis F. Curdes. 10-12-tf

FOR SALE—Fine 8-room modern house on Smith St., near Creighton Ave., at a bargain at $2,750; part down, rest same as rent. C. K. Imes, box 13, Sentinel. 11-7-tf

FOR SALE—A splendid bargain on Smith St., near Creighton Ave. Price, $2,000. 1-16-tf W. E. DOUD.

FOR SALE—Good 8-room house and full lot on Webster, near Williams. $2,400 if sold at once. 1-16-tf W. E. DOUD.

FOR SALE—A bargain if taken soon; a down-town Journal-Gazette route. Call 1126 Columbia Ave., or phone 2414. 11-30-tf

FOR SALE—Four-room house 919 Taylor St., $1,100; executor's sale; one-third cash; a bargain. In

A Woman's Back

Has many aches and pains caused by weaknesses and falling, or other displacement, of the pelvic organs. Other symptoms of female weakness are frequent headache, dizziness, imaginary specks or dark spots floating before the eyes, gnawing sensation in stomach, dragging or bearing down in lower abdominal or pelvic region, disagreeable drains from pelvic organs, faint spells with general weakness.

If any considerable number of the above symptoms are present there is no remedy that will give quicker relief or a more permanent cure than Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription. It has a record of over forty years of cures. It is the most potent invigorating tonic and strengthening nervine known to medical science. It is made of the glyceric extracts of native medicinal roots found in our forests and contains not a drop of alcohol or harmful, or habit-forming drugs. Its ingredients are all printed on the bottle-wrapper and attested under oath as correct.

Every ingredient entering into "Favorite Prescription" has the written endorsement of the most eminent medical writers of all the several schools of practice—more valuable than any amount of non-professional testimonials—though the latter are not lacking, having been contributed voluntarily by grateful patients in numbers to exceed the endorsements given to any other medicine extant for the cure of woman's ills.

You cannot afford to accept any medicine of unknown composition as a substitute for this well proven remedy OF KNOWN COMPOSITION, even though the dealer may make a little more profit thereby. Your interest in regaining health is paramount to any selfish interest of his and it is an insult to your intelligence for him to try to palm off upon you a substitute. You know what you want and it is his business to supply the article called for.

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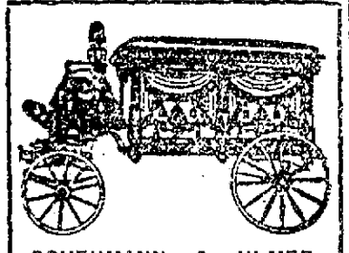

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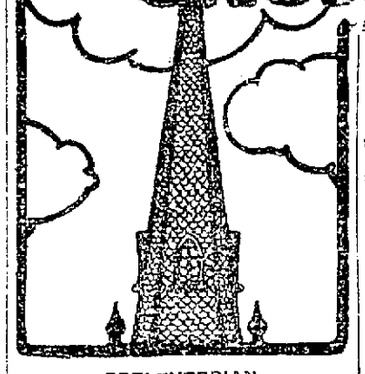

PRESBYTERIAN.

First Presbyterian church, Washington and Clinton streets, Rev. Henry B. Master, pastor. Divine worship at 10:30 a. m.; vesper service and musical half hour at 4 p. m.; Sunday school at 2:45 p. m.

Westminster church, West Berry street, between Ewing and Webster; Rev. William H. Wilson, pastor. Morning service at 10:30 o'clock; subject, "Great Obstructions;" Sunday school at 12 m., G. G. Gerord, supt.; Christian Endeavor at 6:30; evening service, 7:30; subject, "Doing Impossible Things;" Wednesday evening, mid-week devotional service. Ernest G. Hesser will sing.

Third church, corner Harrison and Taber streets, Frank M. Fox pastor. Public reception of members and celebration of the Lord's supper at 10:45; Bible school, 9:30 a. m., E. G. Schulze, superintendent; Junior Endeavor at 3 p. m.; Y. P. S. C. E. 6:45. Sermon at 7:30; subject, "Reconciled."

Bethany church, Boone and Fry streets, Rev. J. W. Campbell, pastor. Sunday school at 9:30 a. m.; John M. Jackson, superintendent; morning sermon at 10:30; evening sermon at 7:30; C. E., 6:45 p. m.

METHODIST EPISCOPAL.

First Methodist Episcopal church, corner Wayne and Lafayette streets. Charles A. Rowand, pastor. Sunday school at 9:30 a. m.; E. L. Feustal, superintendent. The morning theme, "A Message to the Church." In the evening the pastor will deliver the first of a series of sermons to the young people on the general subject of "Success and Savior."

Wayne Street Methodist Episcopal church, corner Broadway. Milton E. Netherout, D. D., pastor—Sunday school at 9:30, A. S. Coverdale, superintendent; preaching services at 10:30 and 7:30. Morning subject, "The Resurrection of Christ." Evening, "The Slough of Despond." Junior league at 2:30; Epworth league at 6:45; Women's bible class Tuesday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock in the church parlors.

St. Paul's church, Walton avenue and Selden street, Rev. Herbert S. Nickerson, pastor—Sabbath school, 9:30 a. m.; S. E. Claudy, superintendent; preaching at 10:30 o'clock; subject, "Mustard Seed Faith;" class meeting at 11:30; 2:30 Junior league; Epworth league, 6:30; evening service at 7:30, subject, "The Personality of the Holy Spirit;" prayer meeting Wednesday evening at 7:30.

Trinity church, Fourth and Cass streets—Rev. Raymond L. Semans, pastor. Sunday school at 9:30 a. m.; F. A. McMacken, superintendent; sermons at 10:45 and 7:30 by pastor. Prayer meeting Wednesday at 8 p. m. The Junior league will hold its regular meeting at 2:30; Wesley Brotherhood meets at 3 p. m. The Woman's Foreign Missionary society will hold its annual meeting at 7:30.

Simpson M. E. church, corner Harrison and Dawson street. J. M. Canse, pastor. Sunday school at 9:30 a. m.; L. Springer, superintendent. Sermon at 10:30; subject, "Thanks for Victory." Evening at 7:30, "Self Mastery." Music by the choir, led by E. Schafer.

New Haven M. E. church, J. S. Caln, pastor. Sermons at 10:30 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.; Sunday school at 9:30 a. m.; Junior league at 2:30 p. m.; Senior league at 6:30 p. m. Prayer meeting on Thursday evening at the parsonage.

CONGREGATIONAL.

Plymouth church, corner Jefferson and Harrison streets—Rev. Henry T. Sell D. D., pastor—Sermon and communion service at 10:45 by pastor; subject, "The Upper Room;" Evening lecture-sermon at 7:30, "The Inscriptions and Teachings of the Roman Catacombs," illustrated with charts. Junior Endeavor at 3:30; Senior Endeavor at 6:30; Wednesday evening, prayer meeting at 7:30; bible school 9:30; A. G. Barry, superintendent; H. S. Willson, assistant, Will Kyle, orchestra leader. Thanksgiving prayer meeting Wednesday evening.

UNITED BRETHREN.

Calvary church, corner East Lewis and Harmer streets. G. F. Byrer, pastor—Sunday school at 9:30, A. A. Bowser, superintendent. Preaching service at 10:30 and 7:30. Subjects of sermons, "The Perfect Jesus," and "The Greatest Questions." Y. P. C. U. at 6:30, Miss May Dennis and Miss Inez Nelson, leaders. Prayer services Wednesday evening; business meeting Monday evening; Ladies' Aid and annual Christmas sale at the house of Mrs. A. A. Bowser, 1314 E. Creighton avenue, Thursday evening.

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Salem Reformed church, next to the postoffice. P. Ruhl, pastor. Sunday school at 9:30; morning services and preaching at 10:30; evening service at 7:30 in English.

Grace Reformed church, 316-318 East Washington street, Rev. Allan K. Zartman, D. D., pastor. Preaching services at 10:30 and 7:30. Morning subject, "A Man's Vision of God." Sabbath school at 9:30; Junior meeting at 2 o'clock; Young People's meeting at 6:30 p. m.; prayer meeting Wednesday evening. The Woman's Aid society will meet Thursday afternoon at 3 o'clock.

St. John's church, corner Washington boulevard and Webster street. John H. Bosch, pastor—9 a. m., Sunday school; 10:15, morning service; 7 p. m. prayer meeting; 7:30 evening services; Wednesday evening, discussion and explanation of Sunday school lesson; catechetical instructions every Saturday morning from 9 to 11 o'clock.

BAPTIST.

First Baptist church, West Jefferson street, between Harrison and Webster streets; Rev. J. P. Vichert, pastor; Preaching service at 10:45 and 7:30. Subjects, "An Obligation and Its Ground," and "Hatred Without Cause." Sunday school at 9:30 a. m.; B. Y. P. U. meeting at 6:30 p. m.

South Wayne Mission, corner Indiana and Cottage avenues—Sunday school at 9 a. m.

Sunny Side Mission, South Lafayette street—Sunday school, 2:30 p. m.

CHURCH OF CHRIST.

West Jefferson street church, corner Fairfield avenue, Rev. Ray O. Miller, pastor—9:30 a. m., Sunday school; preaching services at 10:30 and 7:30; morning subject, "Faith;" evening subject, "Home." Special music by quartet; Saturday night Sunday school teachers' meeting, choir practice; Y. P. S. C. E. meets at 6:30 p. m. Wednesday night, prayer meeting and teachers' meeting.

East End Tabernacle, East Creighton avenue and Smith streets—3 p. m., Sunday school; 7 p. m., Christian Endeavor.

West Creighton avenue Church of Christ—M. F. Rickoff, pastor; Sunday school, 9:15 a. m., R. F. Exline, superintendent; preaching at 10:30 a. m. Morning subject, "Lifting Up the Christ." In the evening the meeting will be in charge of the C. W. B. M. society.

BIBLE STUDENTS' MEETING.

Bible Students' meeting, 1215 Lafayette street, Sunday at 10 a. m. Subject, "The Tabernacle."

CHURCH OF CHRIST SCIENTIST.

First church—Sunday services: Sunday school at 11:30 a. m.; morning service at 10:30 in the old Hebrew tabernacle, Harrison street; subject: "God the Only Cause and Creator." Golden text: "The Lord by wisdom hath founded the earth; by understanding hath he established the heavens." Prov. 3:19. Reading room 31 Bass block, open daily except Sunday from 2 to 5 p. m. Testimonial meeting every Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock.

Second church—Sunday services in Harmony hall, 120 West Berry street—Sunday school at 9:30 a. m.; church services at 10:30 o'clock. Subject: "God the Only Cause and Creator." Golden text: "The Lord by wisdom hath founded the earth; by understanding hath he established the heavens." Prov. 3:19. Reading room open daily except Sunday, from 1 p. m. to 4 p. m. in room 5, Lan building. Wednesday evening service at 8 o'clock.

METHODIST PROTESTANT.

First Methodist Protestant church, New Haven, P. W. Dierberger, pastor—Sunday school, 9:30, Felix Blaising, superintendent; preaching by the pastor at 10:30 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.; prayer meeting and Bible study Thursday evening.

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ENGLISH LUTHERAN.

Redeemer church, Washington boulevard and Fulton streets; Rev. Theo. F. Hahn, pastor: Sunday school at 9:15 a. m.; preaching by pastor at 10:30, subject, "Behold, Thy King Cometh Unto Thee." Evening service at 7:45; first sermon in Advent; subject, "His Name Shall Be Called Wonderful." Regular monthly business meeting, Friday evening, December 7.

Trinity church, Wayne and Clinton street—Rev. Samuel Wagenhals, pastor. Sunday school at 9:30 a. m.; morning service at 10:45; Luther league, 7 p. m.; evening service at 7:30.

Christ's Lutheran church, cor. West Jefferson and Webster streets; W. H. Schrock, pastor; Sunday school at 9:30 a. m., J. F. Bauerle, superintendent; sermon at 10:45; Luther league at 6:45. Evening worship at 7:30.

RESQUE HOME MISSION.

Fort Wayne Rescue Home and Mission, 118 East Columbia street. Meetings every night at 7:30. Sunday school at 3 p. m. The Rescue Bible class also meets at 3 p. m. Leaders and speakers for next week are as follows: Saturday evening, Dec. 1, Rev. Dierberger; Sunday evening, Dec. 2, prayer and praise service; Tuesday night, H. D. Grotholtman; Wednesday evening, converts' meeting, led by Mrs. J. A. Quince; Thursday evening, Dec. 6, Rev. Swizler.

EVANGELICAL ASSOCIATION.

Bethel church, corner DeWald and Clinton streets, D. E. Zechiel, pastor—Sunday school, 9:30, Wm. Mertz, superintendent; Junior meeting at 2 p. m., Mrs. Louise Gable, superintendent. Y. P. A., 6:30; Mary Mertz, president. Sermon at 10:30. Prayer service Thursday evening at 7:30. Sermon at 7:30; Y. P. A. business meeting Tuesday evening; Church Aid and L. A. S. business meetings Thursday evening following the prayer service.

BIBLE TRAINING SCHOOL.

Missionary church, corner South Wayne and Richardville avenue, Rev. William Eglo and Rev. D. Y. Schultz, pastors. Preaching services at 3 o'clock; Sunday school at 2 p. m., evening meetings at 7:30; Students' Mission band on Wednesday evening at 7:30; Bible lectures on Tuesday and Friday evenings by Rev. Louis Meyer, field secretary of the Chicago Hebrew association.

EPISCOPAL.

Trinity Episcopal church, Rev. E. W. Averill, rector. Holy Eucharist at 7:30 a. m.; Sunday school at 9:30 a. m.; morning prayer and sermon at 10:45 a. m.; even song at 7:30 p. m.

St. Andrew's Mission, J. Douglass Gage, superintendent; Sunday school at 3 p. m.

FREE METHODIST CHURCH.

1318 East Creighton avenue, H. C. Ingersoll, pastor. Sunday school at 9:30; S. L. Wass, superintendent. Preaching at 10:45 and 7:30. Class No. 2 at 11:45. Class No. 1 will meet Tuesday evening at 7:30. Prayer meeting Thursday evening at 7:30. Strangers especially welcome. Quarterly meeting commencing Tuesday evening, in charge of Rev. C. U. Wade.

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CITY MISSION.

City Mission, 628 West Main St.—C. E. Hewter in charge.—Sunday school every Sunday at 2 p. m. Preaching at 3 and 7 p. m., and Wednesday evening at 7:30.

COLORED BAPTIST.

Hopewell church, colored, I. O. O. F. hall, 1418 Calhoun street—Rev. J. P. Burney, pastor. Sunday school, 10:00 a. m., J. H. Green, superintendent; preaching at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. by the pastor.

AFRICAN METHODIST.

African church, corner Wayne and Francis streets. Rev. Lewis Pettiford, pastor—Preaching at 10:30 a. m.; Sunday school at 3 p. m.; evening service at 7:30.

BAPTIST BRETHREN.

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The following meetings are held Sunday in rotation during the month commencing at 4 o'clock: First Sunday, Married Men's Sodality and Young Men's Sodality; second Sunday, Rosary Sodality; third Sunday, Young Ladies' Sodality; fourth Sunday, Boys' Sodality and Young Girls' Sodality. The Catholic Knights of America, branch 103, meets the first and third Sundays of each month. The Sacred Heart League has special devotions on the first Friday of each month at 7:30 p. m.

St. Patrick's, corner of DeWald and Harrison streets, Rev. Joseph F. Delaney, pastor; Rev. Edward Mungovan, assistant. The services at the church are as follows: Mass at 7:30 a. m.; children's mass at 9 a. m.; high mass at 10:30 a. m.; catechism at 2 p. m.; vespers at 2:30 p. m.; masses at 6:30 and 8 a. m. during week days.

Following is a list of the various societies of the church and the time of meeting: Married Men's and Young Men's Sodalities, first Sunday in the month; Rosary society, second Sunday; Young Ladies' Sodality, third Sunday; also the first three Sundays of the month for the office of the Blessed Virgin: Boys' and Girls' Sodalities, fourth Sunday, at 2:30 p. m.; all other meetings at 4 o'clock, immediately after vespers; each society takes communion on Sunday of meeting; St. Vincent de Paul society meets the fourth Sunday of the month; Ladies' Catholic Benevolent association meets first and fourth Thursdays; St. Joseph Benevolent society meets third Sunday of the month. Sacred Heart devotions on the first Friday of the month at 7:30 p. m.

St. Paul's (German), corner West Washington and Griffith streets, Rev. F. J. H. Kroll, pastor—Services, 10 a. m. and 2 p. m.

Church of the Precious Blood.—Corner of Barthold and Fourth streets, Rev. C. Hummer, pastor—Morning mass at 7:45; high mass, with sermon, at 10 a. m., and vespers at 3 p. m.

St. Peter's (German), corner East DeWald and Warsaw streets, Rev. Charles Thiele, pastor—Sunday services, 7:45 and 9:45 a. m. and 2:30 p. m.; Sunday school, 2 p. m.

St. Mary's (German), corner of Lafayette and Jefferson streets, Rt. Rev. Mgr. John H. Oechtering, V. G., pastor; assistant, Rev. Gustave Hottenroth—Sunday services, 8 and 10 a. m. and 2:30 p. m.; Sunday school, 2 p. m.

GERMAN LUTHERAN.

Emanuel church, West Jefferson street, Rev. Wm. E. Moll, pastor—Sunday services: German preaching at 10 a. m.; Sunday school at 2 p. m.; English preaching at 7:30 p. m.

St. John's Lutheran church, corner Washington boulevard and Van Buren streets, Rev. H. P. Dannecker, pastor—Services (German), 10 a. m.; services (German), for children, 2 p. m.; services (English), 7:30 p. m.

Trinity corner of Huffman and Oakland streets, Rev. Paul Stoeppelwerth, pastor—Sunday services, 10 a. m.; Sunday school, 2:30 p. m.

German Lutheran Zion's church, Creighton avenue and Hanna street, Rev. H. Chr. Luehr, pastor—Services at 10 a. m. and 2 p. m. Sundays.

Evangelical Lutheran Concordia congregation, southwest corner of Fletcher and Alliger streets—Sunday services: Preaching at 10 a. m. and Sunday school at 2:30 p. m. Rev. August Lange, pastor.

St. Paul's, on Barr street, Rev. Jacob Miller, pastor—Services, 10 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.; Sunday school, 2:30 p. m.

Grace Lutheran church, Gay and Pontiac streets, Rev. F. Brandt, pastor—Sunday services as follows: At 10 a. m., German preaching; 2 p. m., children's services.

Emmaus Lutheran, Broadway and Creighton avenue, Rev. Philip Wambsganss, jr., pastor—Sunday services, 10 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.; Sunday school, 2:30 p. m.

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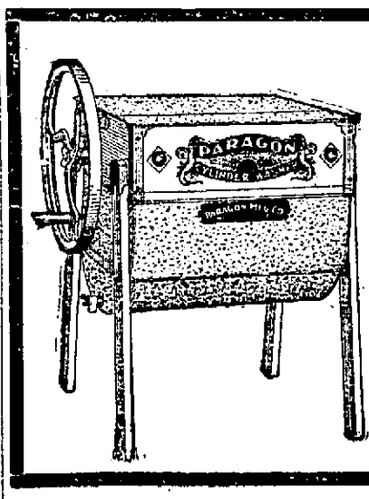

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Viewed from the human side, some of the words of the Spirit concerning this fearful transaction are, "Ye denied the Holy One and the Just and desired a murderer to be granted unto you and killed the Prince of Life," "Jesus Christ of Nazareth, whom ye crucified," "The Just One, of whom ye have been now the betrayers and murderers" (Acts iii, 14, 15; iv, 10; v, 30; vii, 52). As seen in the purpose of God for us, we find the light in such passages as "He is the propitiation for our sins and not for ours only, but also for the sins of the whole world," "God hath made Him to be sin for us who knew no sin," "The Son of God, who loved me and gave Himself for me," "Christ hath redeemed us from the curse of the law, being made a curse for us," "His own Self bare our sins in His own body on the tree" (I John ii, 2; II Cor. v, 21; Gal ii, 20; iii, 13; I Pet. ii, 24). Turning to the actual events as set forth in our lesson, we see the Holy One of God in the hands of sinful men, delivered to their will, and that will means all that the devil can think of in the way of torture and a lingering death. God's Darling at the mercy of bulls of Bashan, roaring lions and dogs (Ps. xxii, 12, 13, 16-21)! But how was it that they were able to treat Him so when just two words from Him sent the soldiers to the ground as they came to arrest Him in Gethsemane? The answer is found in these words, "Of His own voluntary will" (Lev. i, 3). "I lay down My life that I might take it again; no man taketh it from Me, but I lay it down of Myself" (John x, 17, 18). See also His own words to Pilate, "Thou couldst have no power at all against Me except it were given thee from above" (John xix, 11).

The Cyrenian who was compelled to bear the cross of Jesus that day has many a time since praised God that it ever happened so, for, though it was an unwilling and compulsory service at the time, he has since seen that it was a very great honor that was conferred upon him. When in the providence of God we are turned about in our plans and humiliated also we may depend upon it that what seems cruel and unjust is the best that His infinite love and wisdom can plan for us. See Him and the two malefactors being led forth to be put to death and can you wonder that a great company of people and of women followed Him, bewailing and lamenting Him, but He, seeing their future, as they could not, tells them that they have more need to weep for themselves than for Him. Golgotha, as it is called by the other three evangelists, signifies the place of a skull. Could anything be more suggestive of emptiness than a skull, and to this He came for me, and without Him all that the world has to give is as the emptiness and nothingness of a skull. Do you see it so?

With pierced hands and feet He hangs between two thieves, crucified as a malefactor, numbered with transgressors, and Barabbas could say as he looked upon Him: "He is there for me, in my place. I am free because He is there." We hope that he did see it so and say it from his heart and, like the penitent thief, make Jesus glad. After He had been three hours on the cross the sun, which He had created, could no longer bear the sight, and there was darkness over all the earth for three hours, and the very earth, which He had created, quaked, and the rocks rent, and the graves of many of the righteous dead opened (Matt. xxvii, 45-53). All nature affected, and yet many believers can read the record without a tremor, and unbelievers seem harder than the very rocks. Truly the world knew Him not, and He still has reason to say, "Oh, righteous Father, the world hath not known Thee" (John xvii, 25). While His poor breaking heart found none to take pity or to comfort (Ps. lxix, 20) among the rulers of the Jews or among the scoffing crowd, He did find real comfort in the man on the cross beside Him, who with true penitence believed on Him, acknowledged Him as King and went with Him to Paradise that day. It is a truth that stands unchanged, "There is joy in the presence of the angels over one sinner who repenteth" (Luke xv, 10). It is also always true that "this Man" who came to save sinners and died for sinners is ever waiting for and expecting them to come to Him, for such is the meaning of the word "receiveth" in Luke xv, 2.

It may be that just a word upon the seven sayings of Christ on the cross may lead some one to ponder them more prayerfully and see something of their wondrous significance. In the order of their utterance they are found in Luke xxiii, 34, 43; John xix, 26, 27; Matt. xxvii, 46; John xix, 28, 30; Luke xxiii, 46, so that we have three of them in our lesson portion for today. The first three sayings were uttered before the hours of darkness and the last four at the close of those awful hours. The first three tell of forgiveness and glory and His special care of us all the way between the grace that saves and the glory to be revealed. The last four were uttered just before He died, the fourth and fifth from the agony of His breaking heart and the last two with something like a cry of victory because all was at last ended and He returned home to His Father. It is most instructive that His first and last recorded utterances as the Son of Mary contain the precious word "Father," a name He used forty-eight times on that last night.

TEMPERANCE NOTES

DRINK SETS THE MIND WRONG.

Philadelphia Physicians Do Not Agree With Dr. Crothers.

"The alcoholic is insane because he drinks; the dipsomaniac drinks because he is insane." With this quotation from the works of a French scientist's treatise on alcoholism several Philadelphia physicians express their disagreement with the views of Dr. T. D. Crothers, the superintendent of the Walnut Lodge hospital, Hartford, Conn., given at the meeting of the British Medical association in Toronto, says the Philadelphia Record.

Dr. Crothers maintains that all men who crave alcohol are insane, and even goes so far as to intimate that the first drink is taken because of a diseased condition of the brain. "Inebriety," he said, "is in reality a disorder of the brain of which alcohol is not the cause but rather a remedy. It is a definite disease, with distinct causes, progress and termination.

"It is true that many victims of alcoholism are insane, and even when a man is on his first 'jag' he is the victim of a mania," said a prominent local neuropath the other afternoon, "which, unlike Dr. Crothers, I believe is the result and not the cause of taking the drink. An abnormal act is the product of an abnormal mind, and when a man takes a drink it does not indicate that he has any mental abnormality. When a man is 'blue' or downcast he seeks to drown his grief. These are not symptoms of a deranged mind, but rather of a normal mind, and the desire to drink, as a general thing, under such circumstances, is merely normal.

"As time goes on, however, alcohol has three marked effects. There will be a hardening of certain organs of the body, the blood vessels and nerves will undergo a change in structure, and there is a fattening tendency. As these three go on there is a new nervous system and a new temperament built up, which often results in dementia. The mania is the result, and not the cause.

"The dipsomaniac is the man who goes on a periodical 'jag.' For a long time he is able to refrain from alcohol, but there is always a recurring period when the desire springs up anew and he must satisfy it. In his sober moments he has absolutely no desire for drink, but when the 'drink storm' is approaching he can fight as hard as he pleases, but is unable to overcome the desire for a debauch which will last for five or six days, maybe a week. This desire is undoubtedly one symptom of a diseased mind, and, had Dr. Crothers confined himself to this, he would have been justified in his contentions."

At a large uptown hospital, where a number of inebriates are sent for treatment, questions about Dr. Crothers' theory were met with smiles.

"Dr. Crothers may be right," said one of the physicians, "and he deserves credit for the ingenious way in which he has put forth his views. The periodical drunkard is undoubtedly the victim of a deranged mind, but the 'alcoholic is insane because he drinks.' Numerous examinations of brains of drunkards have been made and when compared with those of the insane there has been a wonderful similarity. The brain of the normal man who takes an occasional drink—the one Dr. Crothers would brand as insane—is entirely different from the maniac's brain. This in itself should be sufficient proof of the wrong deductions drawn by the doctor."

The theory of Dr. Crothers is not new and has been advanced in various forms by individual physicians from time to time. Not long ago a novel was published written by Dr. William Lee Howard, a neuropath, in which he voiced the sentiments expressed by Dr. Crothers and told in fictional form of the trials undergone by a victim of dipsomania; but even Dr. Howard did not go so far as to intimate that the first desire for a drink comes from a diseased mind.

An Imperial Teetotaler.

The German empress, who is an earnest advocate of temperance, recently heard that some bricklayers employed at the royal demesne were fonder of alcohol than was advisable. To prevent this she immediately ordered a large can of coffee to be provided for each of the men, and she had the satisfaction of finding her thoughtfulness greatly appreciated, and the coffee preferred to more potent liquors.

Guardians for the Weak.

The poor-law guardians of Saxony have the right to appoint guardians to care for the property of any person in danger of ruin from drunkenness.

Great Singers Cannot Drink.

Herr Ernest Kraus, the German tenor in the corps of the Metropolitan opera house, in New York city, says: "As a boy in Nuremberg I did as the other boys did. I drank beer as only Germans can. But when my heart became filled with ambition, when I had heard Vogel sing I realized that I, too, had a voice and might become as famous, the first thing I did was to deny myself the pleasure of beer drinking. I went to Milan and studied under Galliera, whose first rule of discipline is: 'Thou shalt drink no beer.'"

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Grandma's Day: A Story of Thanksgiving

By HELENA H. THOMAS.

(From the Christian Herald.)

That is what it had long been called in a certain home; still it was only another name for Thanksgiving, for grandma had always been so given to hospitality in her own home, on that day especially, that when she went to reside with her only child in a distant city, she had for a time looked forward to what had once to her been the day of days, with a dread she had not put into words. Her daughter understood, however, and after giving the subject much thought she put the following query:

"Mother, wouldn't you enjoy reigning supreme in the kitchen for a few days, as of old? Jane does well, in the main, but I have always eaten Thanksgiving dinners cooked by you and——"

"But, daughter," here interrupted the young, old mother, "your kitchen is not mine, and Jane would, I fear, resent being put aside for that day, even."

"You are right, mother; but I have it all arranged, in my mind. Jane's sister is ailing, and she will be more than glad of a vacation. So that will give you ample time to get up such a Thanksgiving dinner as you alone are capable of. Oh, it makes me hungry to think of it!"

To the still bright eyes there was added lustre for an instant, then followed a sigh and a tremor of the lips, with:

"But it would not taste as it did in your old home, dear, for then we had the happiness of sharing our feast with some of the Lord's needy ones. I have been thinking of Widow Watson and her family, and hoping she would not be forgotten. Deacon Price and his wife, too, have shared our Thanksgiving dinner so many years it will be hard for them, and —and——"

Here the sweet voice was so broken that Mrs. Faye hastened to say, cheerily:

"Oh, they will all be taken care of, mother, never you fear! for other large-hearted people will see that they do not lack for invitations. You see there were not poor enough to go around in our little town, and I am not sure but you were just a little bit selfish in inviting all there were, year after year."

This was said so merrily that the mother joined in the laugh, as she rejoined:

"Now, daughter, you are rather hard on your old mother. But you know that Thanksgiving is regarded as strictly a family day by some, and most folks had so many of their very own they could not, if inclined, include others. It was different with us, for when husband and I were married we went to a far-off state, where he had either to celebrate the day alone or invite in comparative strangers. So, after thinking the matter over, we concluded to share it with some of the Lord's worthy poor, which we did, as you know. This we continued to do from year to year, for as you were the only child spared to us, there was always ample room at our board, even before your father was taken from us."

"Yes, yes, mother, I know all about your unselfish life, and I know too, that we would both be happier to do in a measure as we have been accustomed to, even if we are among comparative strangers."

"How can we, when we are not acquainted with those who might enjoy our hospitality without abusing it—refined poor, such as we have been accustomed to entertain, I mean?" was the puzzled query.

"Oh, the poor—such as you have in mind, mother, are usually well provided for in cities on such holidays, if at no other time, so they are not the ones I had in mind. Now, if you enter into my plan, I have already thought of several to invite. There is poor Mrs. Morgan, for instance, who, year after year, as she tells me, has dined at her boarding place, the same as on other days. I would like to ask her, for one, and——"

"But, daughter, you told me she was very wealthy!" exclaimed the mother, aghast.

"Yes, she is, in a way, mother; but the poorest people at Thanksgiving are, to my way of thinking, those who are poor in relatives. I always envied the girls who had a host to share their dinners, in my girlish days, even if I was rich in having you."

"Why, child, you have the right of it surely," rejoined the mother, in a decided tone. "Poor in relation! Strange I never thought of it in that light before, after being so homesick for my own kin when I cooked my first turkey."

"Then, too," urged the daughter, "Mrs. Morgan is one of the Lord's poor from that viewpoint, for she is a most charitable Christian, though, as she once admitted to me, a sad and lonely one, in spite of her wealth, for she is the only one left of a large family. Then there is the little music-teacher, who sits across the aisle from us at church. I noticed she looked sad, and so, thinking along this line, I asked her the other day if she had made any plans for Thanksgiving, and I am sure you would have felt like mothering her if you could have seen her eyes fill and heard her say:

"'Mother and I were all that was left last year, and—and now she is gone!' It just broke my heart to hear her, for it seems as if it would choke me to try and eat such a dinner if you were not here to share it with me."

This was said so tremulously, that it was now the mother's turn to speak cheerily to the daughter, saying:

"Invite the poor girl, by all means, daughter, and just keep on your thinking-cap for those who are poor in relation, and when Jane is out of my way I will set about getting up such a dinner as we always had at home."

"And that will mean both quality and quantity," was the laughing retort of the one who was now smiling.

So the invitations were extended in the mother's name, because "she is to reign supremely."

Consequently, the day that meant so much to the heart-hungry ones, from time to time, was called "Mother's Day," until a few years later, when a grandchild was sent to brighten the home, and from that time Thanksgiving was, in the Faye home, and by fortunate guests, always spoken of as Grandma's Day."

The years which followed were uneventful save for the growing fondness of "Blessing" for the grandmother, who called her by that name until no other seemed to fit the little sunbeam, for when she was still in her infancy, grandmother's outstretched arms always meant a readiness to leave the embrace of either parent. So grandma had her place as well as her "day," and though transplanted again late in life, she was so sunny and helpful that her life was a benediction to all about her. Indeed, Mrs. Faye often remarked to her husband:

"It would break Blessing's heart if anything should happen to mother, and I am sure it would mine."

The white-winged Reaper came suddenly and unlooked for one November morning, however, after grandma had already begun preparations to once more entertain "the poorest folks in all the world," as she had come to call the "alone people," at Thanksgiving time. But grandma had lived so close to her Lord that his summons was met with a calm:

"I am ready, for 'to die is gain,' but —I want to say good-by to Blessing. Don't startle the dear, though," pleaded she; "only whisper that grandma has something sweet to tell her."

Then the child was transferred from her cot to grandma's bed, where, half awake, she gave little heed to her mother's suppressed sobs, and was on the point of cuddling close to the loving heart for a morning nap, as she had often done, until the one about to slip away, knowing that it was the last embrace and that every moment was precious, said:

"Listen, darling, grandma is going now."

"Going where?"

Then, smiling sweetly, the dying woman exerted herself to say to the now wide-awake child:

"Don't you know, sweetheart, how many times I have told you that some day Jesus would call me, and now I am going to him."

"is he calling you, grandma, truly?"

"Yes, truly, dearie; and listen now while grandma tells you one more secret."

Then the child, who saw no cause for weeping, put her ear to the lips which parted to say:

"Blessing, darling, think of me as only well and happy with Jesus, and—and comfort mamma."

A little later the end came, and desolate indeed seemed the home to the bereft daughter, who would not be comforted, in spite of the efforts of husband and child. Indeed, the presence of the latter seemed rather to add to her sorrow, for, as she said to the former:

"Blessing is old enough to know what a loss she has met with, but she seems happy all day long, and when her laugh rings out it strikes a chill to my heart; but I suppose it is because she is only a thoughtless child."

The one thus spoken of, however, had been so long the companion of the sainted grandma that she was the reverse of thoughtless, and showed more wisdom, in a way, than her mother, who, on "Grandma's Day," shut herself into her room and felt that she had nothing for which to be thankful.

So the home which had on other Thanksgiving days been shared with heart-hungry ones was closed to all but its inmates. Jane, who was still the maid, had done her utmost to prepare a tempting dinner, but her mistress refused to leave her room. Consequently, the head of the house and little Blessing partook of so lonely a meal that husband and father was cowardly enough to be glad of an excuse to leave the house when summoned to a sick patient; though before doing so he drew his child close to his bosom, saying:

"Grandma's Day is a sorry one this year, darling, but you must try to comfort mamma, for I have failed utterly."

Blessing watched her papa until he was lost to view, then she went to the now darkened room, for she had been so judiciously reared as to know not what it meant to be afraid, and taking the little rocker close to the large, vacant chair, she leaned her head on one arm and then said, in a plaintive tone:

"Papa can't comfort her, an' I can't, so I'll have to tell her your very last secret, grandma; I will, truly!"

Then, with a determined air, the womanly child left the room where she had hitherto always found a comforter, and opened her mother's door so softly that the weeping woman knew not of her presence until an arm stole about her neck.

Then, being like many another, somewhat selfish in her grief, the mother drew herself away, saying, in a rebuking tone:

"I told you I wanted to be quite alone today. I want neither you or papa, I—I want only mother!"

But the child clung to her all the closer, and when she, too, began to sob, the blind parent put an encircling arm about her, saying:

"You do miss grandma, don't you, dearie?"

"I miss her every minute, mamma," was the sobbing reply; "but I'm crying 'cause I can't comfort you, like she told me to."

"What do you mean?" was the startled query.

"Why, mamma, it's a secret, our very last one, but I'll have to tell you so's you'll be comforted." Then the excited child adroitly seated herself in her mother's lap, adding: "It's a beautiful secret! an' when you know you'll be glad 'stead of crying."

"Tell me what you are keeping from me, child," urged the overwrought mother in an impatient tone.

"Well, mamma, when papa woke me up the morning grandma went away, he said she had something sweet to tell me. Then she told me how Jesus was calling her. But she whispered her very last secret so low I guess you didn't hear it."

"No, darling," said the now eager mother, with bated breath; "I knew little of what was passing then, but you know your grandmother always told you to share your secrets with me, so I am sure she would want you to include me in this."

"That's so," said Blessing with a sigh of satisfaction, "an' now I wish I'd told you before, for then you'd kept Grandma's Day like she did, 'stead of crying."

Then, as sobs burst forth afresh, the trustful child hastened to say:

"It isn't like you think it is, for grandma's secret was this: 'Think of me as well and happy—with Jesus.' Now wasn't that a beautiful secret, mamma?"

"Yes, darling," was the low answer in a hesitating tone, "but ——?"

"But what, mamma?" queried the believing child, in a surprised tone. "Grandma never, never told stories, an' if she said she'd be well an' happy with Jesus, she is, isn't she?"

"Yes, darling," was the unhesitating reply of the mother, whose arm then warmly encircled the pleader; for she began to realize, too late, that her inconsistency had somewhat shaken the faith of the child who had been so brave in her loneliness, because she believed her grandma was happy with the Saviour she never wearied of talking about; but she said no more, because she knew not what to say.

Blessing, meantime, seemed trying to swallow a lump in her throat, and then, as she smoothed the black dress, with a tearful face, said:

"Then why do you wear horrid black dresses all the time, an' cry, like as if there wasn't any Jesus, an' grandma wasn't happy like she said she'd be?"

With that the puzzled child began weeping so convulsively that the mother rocked and soothed her as she had not done in years. But when the overwrought child slept, the no longer blind mother shed tears of repentance as she pleaded with her mother's God for strength and courage to honor her belief. Then, washing away all traces of tears, she donned a white cashmere her child loved to see her wear, and looked so like her old self when Blessing awakened that in a gladsome tone she cried:

"Oh, I dreamed grandma's secret wasn't a true one; but now I know it is, for you look so happy, mamma!"

"Yes, darling, it is true, gloriously true! but mamma was so tear-blinded before she shared your secret that she half-forgot what she firmly believes." Then the now smiling mother, with a fond embrace, added:

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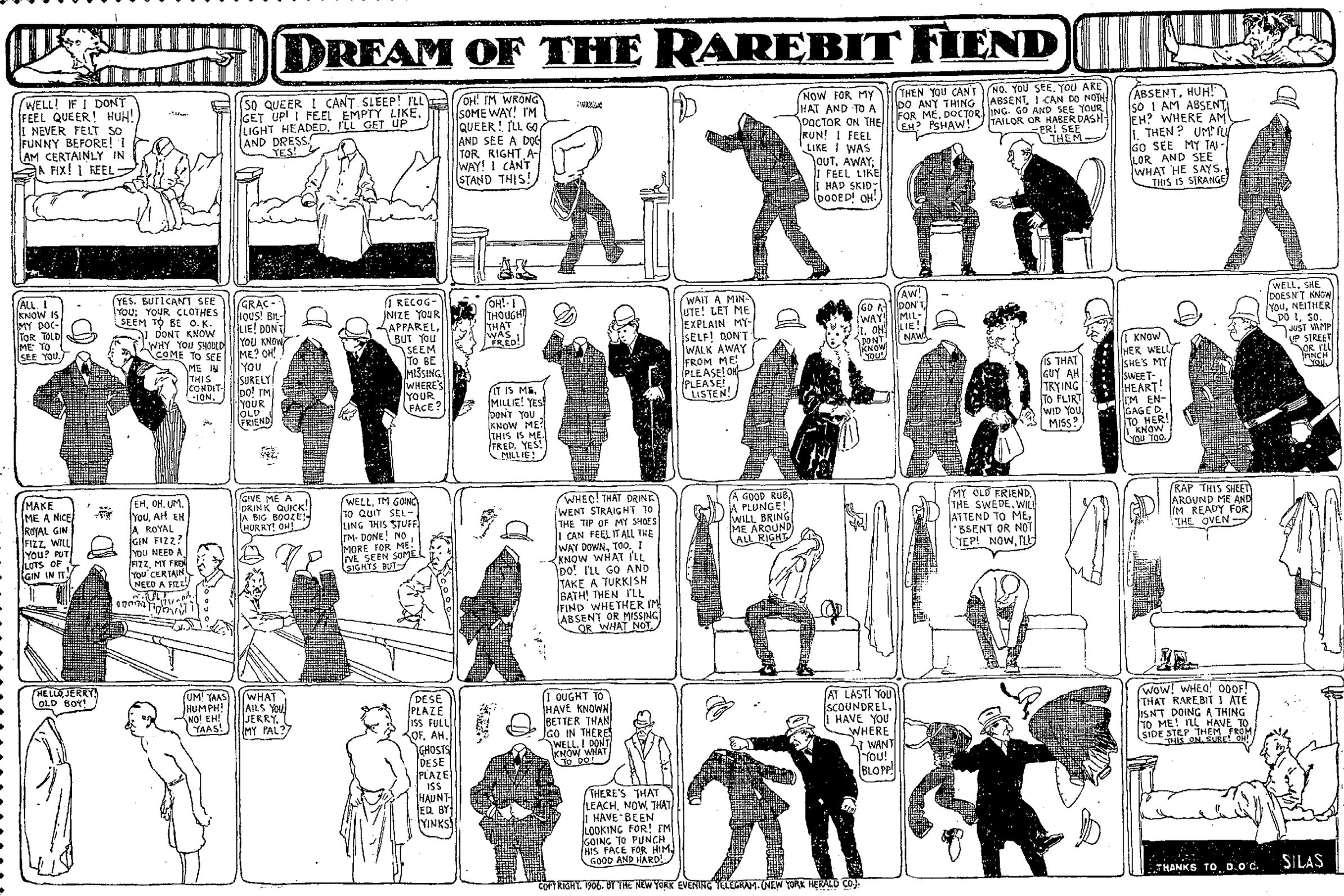
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SO QUEER I CAN'T SLEEP! I'LL GET UP! I FEEL EMPTY LIKE. LIGHT HEADED. I'LL GET UP AND DRESS. YES!
OH! I'M WRONG SOMEWAY! I'M QUEER! I'LL GO AND SEE A DOCTOR RIGHT AWAY! I CAN'T STAND THIS!
NOW FOR MY HAT AND TO A DOCTOR ON THE RUN! I FEEL LIKE I WAS OUT, AWAY; I FEEL LIKE I HAD SKIDDOOED! OH!
THEN YOU CAN'T DO ANY THING FOR ME, DOCTOR, EH? PSHAW!
NO. YOU SEE. YOU ARE ABSENT. I CAN DO NOTHING. GO AND SEE YOUR TAILOR OR HABERDASHER! SEE THEM—
ABSENT, HUH! SO I AM ABSENT, EH? WHERE AM I, THEN? UM! I'LL GO SEE MY TAILOR AND SEE WHAT HE SAYS. THIS IS STRANGE
ALL I KNOW IS MY DOCTOR TOLD ME TO SEE YOU.
YES. BUT I CAN'T SEE YOU; YOUR CLOTHES SEEM TO BE O.K. I DONT KNOW WHY YOU SHOULD COME TO SEE ME IN THIS CONDITION.
GRACIOUS! BILLIE! DON'T YOU KNOW ME? OH! YOU SURELY DO! I'M YOUR OLD FRIEND.
I RECOGNIZE YOUR APPAREL, BUT YOU SEEM TO BE MISSING. WHERE'S YOUR FACE?
OH! I THOUGHT THAT WAS FRED!
IT IS ME, MILLIE! YES! DON'T YOU KNOW ME? THIS IS ME. FRED, YES! MILLIE!
WAIT A MINUTE! LET ME EXPLAIN MYSELF! DON'T WALK AWAY FROM ME! PLEASE! OH PLEASE! LISTEN!
GO AWAY! I, OH! DON'T KNOW YOU!
AW! DON'T, MILLIE! NAW!
IS THAT GUY AH TRYING TO FLIRT WID YOU MISS?
I KNOW HER WELL SHE'S MY SWEETHEART! I'M ENGAGED TO HER! I KNOW YOU TOO.
WELL, SHE DOESN'T KNOW YOU, NEITHER DO I, SO. JUST VAMP UP STREET OR I'LL PINCH YOU.
MAKE ME A NICE ROYAL GIN FIZZ. WILL YOU? PUT LOTS OF GIN IN IT!
EH, OH, UM. YOU, AH EH A ROYAL GIN FIZZ? YOU NEED A FIZZ, MY FREN YOU CERTAIN NEED A FIZZ!
GIVE ME A DRINK QUICK! A BIG BOOZE! HURRY! OH!
WELL, I'M GOING TO QUIT SELLING THIS STUFF. I'M DONE! NO MORE FOR ME. I'VE SEEN SOME SIGHTS BUT—
WHEW! THAT DRINK WENT STRAIGHT TO THE TIP OF MY SHOES I CAN FEEL IT ALL THE WAY DOWN, TOO. I KNOW WHAT I'LL DO! I'LL GO AND TAKE A TURKISH BATH! THEN I'LL FIND WHETHER I'M ABSENT OR MISSING OR WHAT NOT.
A GOOD RUB, A PLUNGE! WILL BRING ME AROUND ALL RIGHT.
MY OLD FRIEND, THE SWEDE, WILL ATTEND TO ME, 'BSENT OR NOT YEP! NOW, I'LL
RAP THIS SHEET AROUND ME AND I'M READY FOR THE OVEN—
HELLO, JERRY, OLD BOY!
UM! YAAS HUMPH! NO! EH! YAAS!
WHAT AILS YOU, JERRY, MY PAL?
DESE PLAZE ISS FULL OF. AH. GHOSTS DESE PLAZE ISS HAUNTED BY YINKS.
I OUGHT TO HAVE KNOWN BETTER THAN GO IN THERE. WELL, I DON'T KNOW WHAT TO DO!
THERE'S THAT LEACH, NOW, THAT I HAVE BEEN LOOKING FOR! I'M GOING TO PUNCH HIS FACE FOR HIM, GOOD AND HARD!
AT LAST! YOU SCOUNDREL, I HAVE YOU WHERE I WANT YOU! BLOPP!
WOW! WHEW! OOOF! THAT RAREBIT I ATE ISN'T DOING A THING TO ME! I'LL HAVE TO SIDESTEP THEM FROM THIS ON, SURE! OH!
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May Keep Coal Lands for Benefit of People

Proposal to Nationalize Them and Strike Another Blow at Monopoly.

Washington, Dec. 1.—In a special report made direct to President Roosevelt the interstate commerce commission has recommended a permanent withdrawal of all public coal lands from entry with a view to their ultimate development under the control and direction of the United States government. This recommendation is one of the results of the investigation the commission has been making into the fraudulent methods by which the public domain has been pilfered from valuable lands for the last quarter of a century.

The recommendation of the commission, it transpires, is along lines of a similar recommendation made last May by Marsdan C. Burch, special assistant attorney general of the United States to the department of justice. It is presumed it was upon Mr. Burch's recommendation that the president issued his order temporarily withdrawing public coal lands from entry. This order was followed by another, in pursuance of which the geological department of the government is making a complete survey of all public lands with a view to ascertaining which are and which are not coal lands.

Roosevelt May Act.

In view of the fact that the recommendation of the commission is an exceedingly strong one, supported with facts and statistics and also has the support of the department of the interior and the department of justice, it is stated unofficially that the president will be likely to make a strong recommendation in this direction to congress in his coming message.

The commission's report is signed by Commissioner Clements as acting chairman, although the report was drawn by Commissioner Prouty, to whom, in company with Attorney J. T. Marchand, credit is due for the astounding facts brought out in the recent hearings of the commission.

The plans which the administration is said to be considering, if carried out, will have an effect upon the future administration of the government affairs, the importance of which cannot be overestimated. According to both the commission and Mr. Burch, there are still between 50,000,000 and 60,000,000 acres of valuable coal land unoccupied and belonging to the government. Of this amount possibly not more than 5,000,000 or 10,000,000 acres will produce bituminous coal of the finest quality, but every acre of the entire coal fields is of great value. It is altogether possible that the present surveys which are being made will add greatly to the known coal acreage, the estimated acreage being on lands which are now known to be coal lands.

Would Run Government.

Attorney Burch has informed the department of justice that sufficient revenue could be obtained by the government from an operation of these coal lands under lease, upon a royalty basis, to pay the expenses of running the entire machinery of the government, including payment of interest on the national debt, for years to come.

The importance of this fact is difficult to comprehend at first thought, and it is all the more amazing when it is remembered that thousands of acres of the valuable coal lands were sold for $1.50 and $2.50 an acre, and others for $10 to $20 an acre. The interstate commerce commission, in its report, has given the president facts which show that it is possible for the government to secure from $800 to $1,000 an acre in the way of revenue from the lands and still have the lands. Attention is called to the fact of the vast difference between this and being robbed of valuable coal lands.

The plan which has been proposed to President Roosevelt would make it impossible for any individual or corporation to secure hereafter an acre of public coal lands in the United States. In a general way it would necessitate the leasing of these lands or their development and operation upon a royalty basis. Examples are given in the commissioner's report of results which have been obtained where the owners of coal lands have leased the same upon a royalty basis.

Check on Waste of Coal.

Especial attention is called to the fact that such operation and development of coal properties prevents a waste and results in economical methods. For example, under a lease a company always works a mine to the limit, whereas under ownership when the workings become thin they are ofttimes abandoned for a new field.

Perhaps the most important purpose which the commission believes would be attained under the plan is the destruction of the existing monopoly in bituminous coal and the prevention of future monopolies in the various western coal states. It is stated confidently that the coal lands still unoccupied are amply adequate, if used by the government, to break up the monopoly in bituminous coal, thereby affording public relief in a most needed direction. The commission's report calls attention to the fact that under past and existing methods and laws a large portion of the coal lands west of the Missouri river have fallen into the hands of the great railroad corporations or allied companies organized by them. Through the medium of these companies railroads have been enabled to secure the monopoly of the coal industry in the states through which their lines are operated. This has resulted in a restricted output, high prices and in an occasional coal famine, of which the present famine throughout the entire west is a most shining example. Thus it is stated the two great ends sought to be obtained by the plan would be the prevention of monopoly and the securing of sufficient revenue to run the entire machinery of the United States government.

Thinks Plan Is Feasible.

That both of these ends could be attained readily there is not the slightest doubt either in the minds of the commission or in the department of justice. Examination and investigation by government geologists have resulted in the discovery that even the coal lands containing a low grade of non-steaming lignite coal are nevertheless of great value. Experiments have shown that this coal is capable of being briqueted at a small cost, and thus transformed into merchantable coal. Furthermore, all of this lignite coal is fuel gas producing coal, and the lignite beds contain sufficient possibilities in this line to heat the entire United States for generations to come.

In view of all these facts the president is urged to prevent the further spoliation and waste in public coal lands and to utilize those which remain for the benefit of the people. This, however, does not contemplate ownership in the sense that term is now being used, nor does it mean actual government operation of coal properties.

In connection with the coal land frauds the attention of the department of the interior has been called to additional stealings in the state of Wyoming by the Union Pacific Coal company. It is stated that the Union Pacific interests have purchased a large amount of land scrip issued to soldiers and with it have located on thousands of acres of most valuable coal lands. The scrip, of course, was issuer for agricultural lands, but the coal company succeeded in getting false evidence that the lands were agricultural lands. The department of justice has sent an agent into Wyoming to investigate the matter and to bring suits for the recovery of these lands.

Gillette, Accused of Murder of Grace Brown, the House He Visited and One Witness Against Him.

CHESTER E. GILLETTE.
PHOTO BY WHITEMASTER.

THE CLIFF HOUSE, TUPPER LAKE, N.Y.

MISS TERESA HAINISHFEGER.

DEADLY SERPENT BITES

Are as common in India as are stomach and liver disorders with us. For the latter, however, there is a sure remedy: Electric Bitters, the great restorative medicine, of which S. A. Brown, of Bennettsville, S. C., says: "They restored my wife to perfect health, after years of suffering with dyspepsia and a chronically torpid liver." Electric Bitters cure chills and fever, malaria, biliousness, lame back, kidney troubles and bladder disorders. Sold on guarantee by Dreier & Bro., druggists. Price 50c.

AN EYE TO THE FUTURE.

Old Croakybo—I think we'd better have the passage and staircase repapered while I'm laid up, Mrs. Grimage.

Mrs. G. (his housekeeper)—Lor', sir; 'adn't yer better wait and see 'ow ye goes on fust? Them coffins do make such work with staircase wall paper.—London Smiles.

Pine Salve Carbolized, acts like a poultice; highly antiseptic, extensively used for Eczema, for chapped hands and lips, cuts, burns. Sold by Rhoads' drug store.

GETS HINT IN WHITTLING.

Inventor Discovers a Wood Valuable for a Homely Purpose.

(Scientific American.)

Here is an instance of showing that obedience to the whittling conscience is still a cause of inventions. H. S. Hopper was driving through one of the southern swamps some time ago when he cut down a reed, which he used for a whip. It followed, of course, that he cut off a chip from the end of the reed and used it for a toothpick.

He noticed that the chip was hard and durable and yet pliable and for the purpose was much better than the article commonly on sale. Acting on the suggestion, he has designed an automatic machine which makes an excellent grade of toothpicks from the reeds of the southern swamps. A factory has been built at Bowers' Hill, Norfolk county, Va., and the business inaugurated.

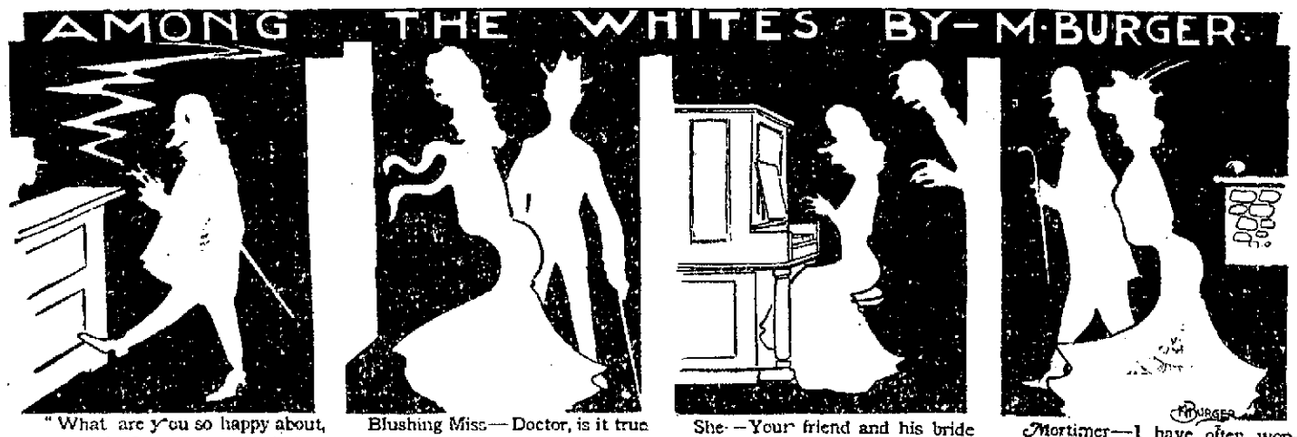
A reed is cut into suitable lengths without and a set of radial knives is made to split the tubular reed into pieces the size of a toothpick. Before splitting the ends of the tubular sections of the reed are reamed out by tapering reamers, which remove the pith or soft interior so that the splitting forms toothpicks with tapering ends of hard, tough material.

FOLLOWING THE FLAG.

When our soldiers went to Cuba and the Philippines, health was the most important consideration. Willis T. Morgan, retired commissary sergeant U. S. A., of Rural Route 1, Concord, N. H., says: "I was two years in Cuba and two years in the Philippines, and being subject to colds, I took Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, which kept me in perfect health. And now, in New Hampshire, we find it the best medicine in the world for coughs, colds, bronchial troubles and all lung diseases." Guaranteed at Dreier & Bro.'s, druggists. Price 50c and $1.00. Trial bottle free.

In India the wages paid for coal mining are 22 cents a ton. Women as well as men are employed.

ManZan Pile Remedy put up in convenient collapsible tubes with nozzle attachment so that the remedy may be applied at the very seat of the trouble, thus relieving almost instantly bleeding, itching or protruding piles. Satisfaction guaranteed or money refunded. Sold by Rhoads' drug store.



"What are you so happy about, Henpeck? Is your mother-in-law dead?"

"Nope. Wife ran away with the coachman."

Blushing Miss—Doctor, is it true that lovesickness very often proves fatal?

Doctor—Yes, it sometimes develops into matrimony."

She—Your friend and his bride are musical, so I suppose he gave her something appropriate.

He—Yes, he gave her a plain gold band.

Mortimer—I have often wondered how you felt when I stole my first kiss.

Ray—I felt very much like an accomplice.